THE WASHINGTON BEE

VOL. XXXI NO 5 WASHINGTON, D. C., SATURDAY JULY 2 1910

NEGRO DEMOCRAT

ANOTHER SELL TO DEMOCRATS.

Negro Democrats Issues a Call—Not Satisfied with Existing Conditions.

The following call has been issued by the National Political League, which has members and branches in thirty States:

To Colored Americans and Their Fellow Countrymen, Greetings:

By vote of the Executive Committee and by order of the President this call of the National Independent (formerly Negro-American) Political league is issued for the 3rd annual meeting at Atlantic City, New Jersey, August 4 and 5, 1910.

This national convention of Colored citizens is called under what grave conditions touching the object of this organization, the supreme aim of which is to maintain and secure for all Colored Americans the same rights and privileges of citizenship as are enjoyed by the other citizens of these United States of America. In the Southern States 95 per cent. of the nine million Colored citizens of the United States are deprived of the exercise of the ballot, the fundamental right under our system of government, without which there is for citizens neither protection nor freedom. This rape of the ballot is consummated in plain violation of the national constitution which forbids denial of the right to vote because of race or color. The executive head of the federal government within sixteen months officially admitted this disfranchisement in inaugural address and palliated the violation of the federal constitution instead of declaring his purpose to enforce the law in obedience to the oath he had just solmenly taken. President Wm. H. Taft even intimated the legality of those devices for nullifying the 15th amendment by State laws which are as much worse than fraudulent practices, as law is stronger than custom. The legislative branch of the federal government, specially clothed with power to enforce the suffrage articles of the constitution, has viewed with apathy and inaction their flagrant violation, save when actively condoning it by seating Congressmen elected under the violation, as against contestants entitled to seats if the federal law had been obeyed in their districts in the South. The judicial branch has dodged the issue in all cases brought involving Southern disfranchisement laws, thus by persistent refusal of relief, strengthening the nullification and emboldening the nullifiers of the supreme law of the land.

In view of the very nature of our Republican institutions, as well as of the declared reasons for our existence as an independent government, is not this condition sufficiently serious to twelve millions of Colored Americans to justify and necessitate a national convention, and sufficiently alarming to all believers in our country's destiny and defenders of her democracy and of her fair name to compel their sympathy and support?

But what train of evils were let loose upon Colored Americans with disfranchisement! In the Southern States unequal and oppressive laws have destroyed all their civil rights, excluding them from public places of business, of accommodation, or resort, even public parks and public libraries, barring from State, quasi-public and the public schools, forcing them into separate and inferior schools, fastening upon them the public ignominy and caste stigma of segregation in public travel, casting them even into peonage. They are under the tyranny of taxation without representation. Left in that hapless and helpless condition of citizens without voice as to law-maker, law-enforcer, or law interpreter, they are not only the victims of injustice in the courts, but denied all trial by court or jury; are the prey of the fiendish white mob, until now the almost daily lynching of human beings has disgraced our country before the civilized world.

Inevitably this race persecution infects the North, Color prejudice is on the increase. Discrimination based on color in civil rights and in economic opportunities is gaining ground, Jim-crow cars have reached the borders of the national capitol, twice color disfranchisement has raised its horrid head above Mason and Dixon's line, while bloody race riots and barbarous lynchings have reached up to Illinois, even to the home of the martyred Lincoln.

Most harmful and portentous of all in this crusade of race hate and color prejudice is the action, under the present administration, of the federal government itself. For the first time in the United States a president has officially proclaimed color a political disability By this declaration that he would not appoint Colored citizens to office where white citizens objected, he completed Southern disfranchisement. It is Colored soldiers who are the victims when for the first time a battalion is discharged wholesale and without trial because of an alleged affray with civilians, and the new departure, aggravated by the failure to establish individual guilt after trial, is boldly continued. The unique degradation of free citizens, segregation by color in public carriers, has been sanctioned and nationalized by a federal commission, while the federal court in support, declares the right of even an inter-State railroad to segregate Colored passengers.

Unless one-eighth of the citizens of the United States are to be reduced to political serfdom, unless our Republic is to abandon democracy for the caste of color, this present trend must be resolutely opposed. Graver crisis in a republic could hardly be.

Colored Americans, rally to your own defense. From every town and city send delegates to this annual meeting, there to deliberate and organize for self-protection against this menace. And let all true patriots of whatever race, all friends of liberty, battle with us for equality of citizenship, for true democracy, that this may be in very truth the home of the brave and the land of the free.

By order of the president,
ALEXANDER WALTERS,
WM. MONROE TROTTER,
Corresponding Secretary.

June 22, 1910, 21 Cornhill, Boston, Mass.

THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF COLORED GRADUATE NURSES.

Miss Martha M. Franklin, President, 61 Dixwell Ave., New Haven, Conn.

Miss Mary R. Tucker, First Vice-President, 127 N. 15th St., Phila., Pa.

Miss Eva M. Greenwood, Second Vice-President, Lac Du Flambeau, Wis.

Miss Mary F. Clark, R. N., Secretary, 522 N. Second St., Richmond, Va.

Miss A. Lottie Marin, Corresponding Secretary, 66 W. 134th St., New York City.

Miss Adah B. Samuels, Treasurer, Lincoln Hospital, cor. E. 141st St. and S. Boulevard, New York City.

Miss Eva N. Davis, R. N., Chairman Membership Committee, 355 Cumberland St., Norfolk, Va.

The National Association of Colored Graduate Nurses, which will convene in Philadelphia, August 17, 18 and 19, bids fair to be the most successful of its kind ever held.

The Citizens' Committee—Mrs. J. B. Taylor, President; Mrs. George Blackwell, Secretary; Miss Helen Stevens, Treasurer—in connection with the Philadelphia Graduate Nurses' Association, are making every effort to entertain this intelligent body of women.

The hospitality of the City of Brotherly Love being well known, the nurses and their friends may come to this city with every assurance of having a royal reception.

The convention will be held in St. Peter Claver's Auditorium, Twelfth and Lombard streets. Street cars taken at Twelfth and Market streets, from Broad Street station and Reading Terminal, go direct to the Auditorium.

All visiting members of the association will be accommodated without charge. Headquarters at the Auditorium. All communications for housing and board, address Mrs. Mary R. Tucker, R.N., President, Philadelphia Graduate Nurses' Association, office, 127 N. 15th Street, Phila.

Mr. W. Sidney Pittman.

Mr. W. Sidney Pittman who, with Mr. W. Calvin Chase, Jr., will report the tour of Dr. Booker T. Washington through the State of Delaware, July 3rd and 4th, exclusively for The Washington Bee. Mr. Pittman as well as Mr. Chase are two graphic writers, and their joint report of this tour of Dr. Washington through the State of Delaware will be most interesting to the readers of The Bee. Those who will leave this city Sunday morning at 7 o'clock will be Mr. W. Sidney Pittman, Mr. W. Calvin Chase, Jr., Editor Oliver Randolph, of the Washington American, Auditor Ralph A. Tyler, Judge Robert H. Terrell and Register W. T. Vernon. Mr. W. Calvin Chase, Sr., is prevented from touring the State of Delaware with Dr. Washington on account of an engagement in New York City, July 3rd to 5th.

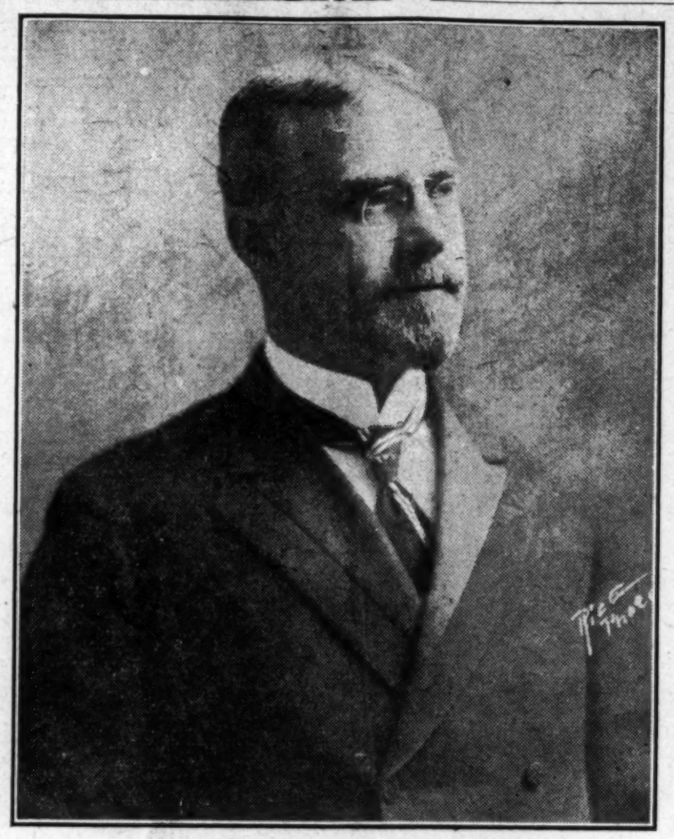
MR. W. SIDNEY PITTMAN.

The Bee will be well represented by Mr. W. Sidney Pittman and Mr. W. Calvin Chase, Jr., who will no doubt give the readers of The Bee, and the entire country, what no other paper will have. Mr. Pittman is one of the most careful journalists in the country and an architect of national reputation. This tour will be the most noted in the career of this distinguished educator. It will be noted because Dr. Washington is doing what he can for his people in a State where the freedom of speech is allowed, and those who will accompany him are men of education and influence.

At the White House.

Prior to the President leaving the city Monday, Judge Robert H. Terrell and M. Gregory, of New York, called to pay their respects. They were ushered into the President's private office by Secretary Norton.

Mr. A. Calvin Chase also saw the President by engagement, and had quite a chat with him.



Hon. Cuno Rudolph, Commissioner, celebrates his Fiftieth Anniversary

Is There Fraud?

SCHOOL DISCRIMINATION.

Supt. Stuart Called on to Investigate. The People to Ask for the Removal of Supt. Bruce.

Superintendent Stuart is called upon to investigate what looks upon its face to be gross frauds and irregularities in our colored schools. In the recent graduation that took place at Convention hall, Friday evening, June 17th, quite a number of students graduated. It seems that in the rating a self-constituted committee met and passed upon the merits and demerits of the graduates. Those students who were conditioned in two or more studies were graduated and placed ahead of unconditional students. Superintendent Stuart has taken up the matter himself for investigation, and he will be asked to make a change in several heads of the colored schools. The wildest indignation is seen to exist on the part of parents and the citizens, and what the outcome will be no one knows.

Mr. Alexander Payne, of this city, left the city Monday evening for Staunton, Va., where he will attend a meeting of the stockholders of the Dime Saving Bank. This is one of the most successful banks in the State of Virginia. The bank will enter its new building.

SEES PLOT IN LYNCHINGS.

Lecturer Declares Acts of Violence in South are Without Grounds.

Cleveland, O., June 22.

"Lynching is the outgrowth of the feeling of anger on the part of the white people of the South because the negro was lifted from his former state of slavery, given the ballot and placed on an equal footing with them," declared John P. Green in an address on lynching before a large number of colored people at the Shiloh Colored Baptist Church last night.

"At the close of the Civil War the negro was on a pedestal of glory," he continued. "He had fought courageously through the war for the North, and he had been true to his trust with the South. He had been left to protect the women and children of the South, and he had been true to these people at home. Then the people of the South found to what point the negro had been elevated and they cast about for some means to reduce him to his former state. They chose women as the last resort and declared the negro a brute and a menace to women.

"It is a significant fact that in no other country where the negro lives has there been such a charge against him. There is not proof to support the charge, because he has never been tried." Mr. Green said the President, ministers and newspapers should work to develop a sentiment against this estimate of the negro to end lynching.

Memphis, Tenn., June 17.

"I wish that you would please state that the lynching of Elmo Curl at Mastadon, Miss., was a most orderly affair, conducted by the bankers, lawyers, farmers and merchants of that county. The best people of the county, as good as there are anywhere, simply met there and hanged Curl without a sign of rowdyism. There was no drinking, no shooting, no yelling and not even loud talking."

This was the statement which a well dressed, nice looking man who entered the Commercial Appeal office Wednesday afternoon asked to be published. He proved to be J. D. Miller, tax assessor of Concordia parish, La., and the brother of W. P. Miller, who was shot by Curl at Mastadon several weeks ago when Mr. Miller went at the head of a posse to arrest him for writing an insulting note to a white woman.

Mr. Miller went on to state that when the assembled yeomanry of Panola county had transferred Curl from the main line of the Illinois Central railroad to Mastadon they halted under a well-limbed tree within forty feet of the cabin from which Curl shot young Miller.

"When the party arrived there," continued Mr. Miller, "they asked me what were my wishes in the matter. Their courtesy to me could not have been surpassed. I told them that I did not believe in brutality, nor did I approve of mutilation of bodies or the torture of slow burning, but that I would like to have the privilege accorded me of making the first pull on the rope. All accorded to my wishes in the matter.

"But I believe that the negro was dead from fright before he was hauled up from the ground. The knot was tied at the back of his neck and he was pulled up slowly from the ground. There was no jerk or fall, yet he never kicked, and so far as we could see no muscle ever moved after he was hoisted into the air. In fact we had to lift him to his feet, as he seemed unable to stand. All of the best people of that section took part and I have never seen a more orderly assemblage anywhere."

Portrait of Langston.

Officers: Thomas L. Jones, president; Geo. Wm. Cook, treasurer, Howard University; Geo. H. DeReef, secretary, 905 U Street, N. W. Executive Committee: W. C. Chase, Chairman; Dr. John R. Francis, Thos. L. Jones, Jesse Lawson, Henry E. Baker, Geo. H. DeReef.

To the Alumni and Friends of Howard University:

The persons named above have associated themselves together for the special purpose of raising a sufficient fund to purchase an oil painting of the late Hon. John M. Langston to be presented to Howard University.

In order to popularize the movement it is agreed that the individual contributions shall be one dollar each, and while it was the purpose primarily to have the fund raised by the Alumni of Howard University, contributions from other friends of the university and of the family of Prof. Langston will be gratefully received and promptly acknowledged.

It will be remembered that Prof. Langston founded the Law Department of the University in 1869, and became its first dean. He was also vice-president of the University and acting president after the resignation of its first president, General O. O. Howard, whose name it bears.

In scholarship, in experience, in high personal character, in an exalted sense of duty, and in loyal devotion to the interests of his race, Prof. Langston brought to the University a splendid example of the type which the University sought to perpetuate. And in all the varied fields of his subsequent labors, whether as a member of the Board of Health of the District of Columbia, as minister plenipotentiary to the Republic of Haiti, as an eminent educator in his native State, as Representative from that State in the halls of Congress, or in the active practice of his profession in the courts of Washington, he was always the dignified, courtly gentleman, the loyal friend, the upright citizen—fit example for the youth of any race.

The Alumni and friends of the University will, we believe, be glad of this opportunity to perpetuate at the University the memory of such a character, not only because of his useful service in behalf of the University, but because of the inspiring example of his life among his fellowmen.

It is the intention of those having this project in charge to have the portrait executed in oil by a competent artist and placed in the new Carnegie Library, at Howard, in the "anti-slavery gallery," where its companion portraits will be those of Frederick Douglass, Charles Sumner, John Brown, Wendell Phillips and the group known as the "Lincoln Emancipation Cabinet."

Those desiring to do so are invited to send their contributions to the treasurer, Prof. George William Cook, secretary of Howard University, Washington, D. C., who will promptly acknowledge all contributions.

Respectfully,
THOMAS L. JONES,
President.
GEORGE H. DeREEF,
Secretary.
905 U Street, N. W.

MONOTECHNIC SCHOOL URGED.

Roscoe C. Bruce Suggests New Education for Negroes.

Pleading for the establishment of a model "monotechnic school" for the education of Washington's colored population along lines of industrial training, Assistant Supt. Roscoe C. Bruce, of the public school system, has put forth the statement that without such training thousands of colored children, whose parents show no interest in their education, can never be brought successfully into the influence of the schools.

Mr. Bruce suggests a $250,000 building to be placed in the center of negro population here, to house a system of class-rooms for modern industrial schools of elementary grade. He believes that such a school would be constantly filled with colored pupils of thirteen years and upward.

He believes the school should be established for boys and girls already with a slight knowledge of some trade, as well as those who have no experience.

He gives as two leading causes for the enormous number of poor children who, in spite of the compulsory education law, have never been enrolled on the school books, the fact that the schools as at present conducted are literary and abstract to a great degree, offering no direct preparation for the earning of a livelihood, and also because parents in many cases are unable to provide children with proper clothing.

School Head Praised.

Editor The Washington Herald:

Because of his faithfulness to the duties of his office as president of the board of education, it is to be much regretted that Capt. James F. Oyster has decided to cease serving the people along that line.

Respecting the schools of this city, James F. Oyster has endeared himself in the hearts of all with whom he has come in contact, and he deserves to be honored in life—not so much in death—for his very excellent services in shaping the pathway for the future men and women of our land and country. Mr. Oyster should not be allowed to resign the office of president of the board of education without stumbling over the prayers and earnest wishes of the teachers, parents, students, and all well-wishers for the future success of our public schools.

The name Capt. Oyster is well known, from the little tots in the kindergarten to the young lads and lasses in the High schools of this city. Everybody loves him and appreciates his earnest work in bringing about success for the public schools of Washington. And the great army of intelligent teachers in Washington owe it to Capt. Oyster, and themselves alike, to petition this good and faithful servant to remain at his post and guide the helm of the old ship of education a few years longer.

J. C. CUNNINGHAM.

From the Times.

CHILDRENS' DAY AT GALBRAITH.

What They Owe Their Parents.

Editor of The Bee:

Please allow me space in your very valuable paper to say a few words about the church of my choice. Last Sunday was childrens' day at Galbraith A. M. E. Zion Church. The Rev. Dr. Corrathers preached a very interesting sermon in the morning, taking for his subject: "Relative duty of parents and children." A large congregation greeted this very distinguished pastor of Galbraith church, who seemed to have been at his best. The sermon was listened to with rapt attention from start to finish, and everybody seemed to have enjoyed it immensely.

Dr. Corrathers spoke at length upon the duty of the parents towards their children, and made it plain to the young men and women, who are being graduated from the High schools and colleges, that they owe their fathers and mothers a lasting debt of gratitude for having denied themselves of much of the necessities of life that they might receive a good education, etc., etc. The collection for the day was $100.

To-morrow Dr. Corrathers will commence a series of sermons taking for his subject: "The rise and fall of nations." Come early, everybody, if you wish to get a good seat. The subject is a deep one, and those who know Dr. Corrathers are acquainted with the facts that he is equal to the great task of discussing them, and needs no introduction by us.

J. C. CUNNINGHAM.

Vote Early.

No votes for the teachers' contest will be received after seven o'clock this evening, hence all votes must be in at that hour.

Polls open until 7 o'clock this evening. Not a vote received after that hour.

PARAGRAPHIC NEWS

By Miss G. B. Maxfield

Herman Drear has the distinction of being the first colored student at Bowdoin admitted to Phi Beta Kappa. He is a graduate of the M Street High school.

The War Department has made arrangements to erect a Confederate cemetery near St. Mary's County, Md. The entire cost will not exceed $20,000.

The crusade of the Health Department against uncleanliness in business houses and food adulterations is being continued with vigor.

Commissioner Rudolph entered on the second half century of his life Sunday. We hope he will have as many more years of usefulness and good service in the future as in the past.

Fifty-eight cotton mills in North Carolina will shut down for four weeks in July and August. This will cause 700,000 spindles idle and about 1,000,000 pounds of yarn and cloth off the market weekly. This has been done to lower the price of cotton.

Secretary MacVeagh, of the Treasury Department, now that the fiscal year of the government ends with the close of business, June 30, has expressed himself as well satisfied with the operations of his department.

According to the statement made by Collector Rogers, there is $100,000 worth of personal property due the District. He intends to collect the money or have the property seized and sold.

Boston is preparing for a missionary exhibit May, 1911. It is to be known as "The World in Boston." It is said 500 churches and 63 religious organizations are interested.

Prof. Kelley Miller, of Howard University, delivered an address on "Race Loyalty," in New Orleans, La., last week.

An entire mountain top of 1,000 acres, having an altitude of 3,900, was the birthday gift Mortimer R. Proctor received from his father, ex-Governor Proctor, of Vermont.

Prof. Cyrus Thomas, a well-known scientist, long connected with the Bureau of American Ethnology, and who for thirty years devoted himself to research of the early inhabitants of this country, died last Sunday.

The enumeration of the Indian population of the thirteenth decennial census will probably be the last time tribal relation will be shown. It is calculated all red men will have become citizens in ten years hence.

Col. Roosevelt's first public utterance in this city, it is said, will be about November 15th, at Convention hall, opening the fall lecture course of the National Geographical Society.

President Taft heads the list of subscribers to a movement to erect a national memorial to Edward Everett Hale, late chaplain of the United States Senate, in Boston, Mass.

It is said "The Linley," the "Dry Air" and other processes recently invented have made it possible to send meats from Australia and South America to the London market perfectly sweet and fresh.

In 1895 there were 2,758,154 women agricultural laborers in Germany. In 1907 the number of women engaged in such pursuits had risen to 4,598,086.

Sergeant Dean, who has a record of twenty-five years of good service, has been appointed the new lieutenant and commander of the harbor precinct.

Miss Sara O. Henderson, who brought suit against the Hillcrest Hospital, at Pittsfield, Mass., won her suit for $3,000 against the hospital for drawing the color line.

Dr. Booker T. Washington has written an article for the American Magazine, reviewing the work being done by Bert Williams, the colored comedian. Williams has come to be one of the highest priced vaudeville artists in the country.

It is said Joe Gans, the colored pugilist, who won the lightweight championship in 1902, and held it until 1907, is dying of tuberculosis in Arizona.

According to "The Chicago Defender," the Southern whites formed an organization in Illinois, and presented eight bills to the legislature, which had for their object the separation of the races in the State.

A monument to Dr. Horace H. Hayden, a founder of the first dental college in the world, and founder and president of the Academy of Dental Surgeons, was unveiled last week.

Weighing 416 pounds, the first bale of the cotton crop of 1910 was sold at auction for $375.

In accordance with a promise, President Taft opened the Industrial Exposition, at Detroit, Mich., by pressing a button in this city. The exhibit exceeds $1,500,00 in value.

According to Justice Brown, former Associate Justice of the Supreme Court, "the preparations of war" is the best assurance of peace.

The Christian Citizenship Department of the Interdenominational Bible College was addressed by Mrs. Anna Cooper, former principal of M Street High School, on "Proper Conduct in Public Places."

Mr. Roscoe C. Bruce has suggested a "Monotechnic School" for colored children in this city. A building costing about $250,000, where industrial trades could be taught, will be of great benefit to the race.

There seems to be general objection to certain textbooks in the schools, as it is said they are contrasting the life of Lincoln and Lee, and putting both on the same plane of devotion to duty and patriotism.

Read The Bee.

O let Me Press Thy Cheek to Mine

Lehn' deine Wang' an meine Wang'

Sung by MARY CANTALUPO of the Love's Lottery Co.

Words by by H. HEINE. ADOLF JENSEN. Op. 1. No. 1.

Slowly.
Langsam.
p Mit Leidenschaft.
O let me
Lehn' dei - ne
press thy cheek to mine, To - geth - er our tears then may flow,
Wang an mei - ne Wang', Dann flie - ssen die Thrä - nen zu - sam - -
love; In close ca - ress my heart and thine With one flame of
men; Und an mein Herz drück' fest dein Herz, Dann schla - gen zu -
pas - - sion shall glow, love. And when o'er the fires of sweet de -
sam - - men die Flam - men. Und wenn in die gro - sse Flam - me
sires the ten - der tear - stream rolls, love, When such a
fliesst der Strom von un - sern Thrä - - nen, Und wenn mein
bliss we have tast - ed as this, Let Death in - vade our souls,
Arm dich ge - wal - tig um - schliesst, Sterb' ich vor Lie - bes - seh - - -
Like a breath of fond remembrance
pp Wie ein Hauch süsser Erinnerung.
love. O let me press thy cheek to mine!.....
nen. Lehn' dei ne Wang' an mei - ne Wang'!.....

O LET ME PRESS THY CHEEK TO MINE.

Published by AMERICAN MELODY CO., New York.

Kenyon $15 Men's Suits

When you seek economy, ask your merchant to show you this $15 Suit. Compare it with one that costs $25, and see wherein lies the difference. It does not lie in the wearing qualities, surely not in the style and fit. The great difference is one of price, caused by more than one reason—made in the largest factories of their kind in the world.

C. Kenyon Co., 23 Union Sq., N.Y.

W. B. Reduso CORSETS

THE W. B. Reduso Corset brings well-developed figures into graceful, slender lines. It reduces the hips and abdomen from one to five inches.

Simple in construction, the Reduso—unhampered by straps or cumbersome attachments of any sort, transforms the figure completely.

Fabrics are staunch woven, durable materials, designed to meet the demand of strain and long wear. There are several styles to suit the requirements of all stout figures.

Style 770 (*as pictured*) medium high bust, long over hips and abdomen. Made of durable coutil or batiste, with lace and ribbon trimming. Three pairs hose supporters. Sizes 19 to 36. Price **$3.00.**

Other REDUSO models **$3.00** per pair upwards to **$10.00.**

W. B. Nuform and **Erect Form** Corsets—in a series of perfect models, for all figures, **$1.00** upwards to **$5.00** per pair.

Sold at all stores, everywhere.

WEINGARTEN BROS., *Makers*, 34th St. at Broadway, New York

The "Jim Crow" Decision.

From the N. Y. Times.

The case of Chiles versus the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad Company, decided by the Federal Supreme Court in an opinion handed down Tuesday, establishes the principle enunciated in 1885 in the Circuit Court of Tennessee that for members of different races separate accommodations may be provided in public conveyances, if the accommodations be equally good. The colored passenger Chiles traveled from the City of Washington on a through ticket between states to Lexington, Ky. The law of Kentucky required that he be placed in a "Jim Crow" car after passing within the State's confines, and this, also, was in accordance with the railroad company's rules. On April 16, 1907, the decision of the Circuit Court in this case, now confirmed, declared that a railroad company may, independently of a State law, adopt and enforce rules requiring colored persons, although they are inter-State passengers, to occupy separate coaches.

This opinion practically reverses the decision of the Supreme Court in 1875 in the case of Hall versus Decuir, wherein a "Jim Crow" act of Louisiana was declared unconstitutional on the ground that it presumed to refulate the conduct of carriers engaged in inter-State commerce. The present decision reveals the influence of the change in public opinion since the reconstruction era; it justifies both the law and compliance with it by the carrier, and permits the rest of the Southern States to amend their "Jim Crow" laws after the example of Kentucky.

The Southern legislatures, thwarted during the first years following the civil war in their efforts to separate negroes from whites in public conveyances, have gradually passed laws to this effect in every State save Missouri, and the courts have sustained them. Oklahoma was restrained from incorporating the principle in its Constitution by the threat of President Roosevelt. But Oklahoma now has its "Jim Crow" statute. On the other hand, the courts of the South are careful to require that the accomodations afforded to negro citizens shall be equal, though not identical, and the harsher penalties have been taken from the original enactments. It is admitted, even, that 'Jim Crow' is not an opprobrious epithet since its origin has been traced to the dramatic song and negro dance of that name which Thomas D. Rice, the first negro minstrel, made famous in 1835.

If you treat your friends right you can always depend on them in the time of need. General U. S. Grant always knew his friends and could always depend on ed.

Read The Bee.

Keep your eyes on the voting contest among the teachers.

Atlantic City is a nice cool place to spend thirty, fourteen, or seven days without any expense whatever. Get busy!

Popularity, popularity, popularity—wonder who the popular teachers are?

Where to Purchase the Bee.

The "Washington Bee" is on sale at the following named places:

Dr. A. S. Gray, 12th and You Sts. N. W.

Drs. Board and McGuire, 1912 1-2 14th Street. N. W.

E. Throckmorton, 1500 14th Street N. W.

Dr. Walter C. Simmons, 1000 20th Street N. W.

Dr. William Davis, 11th and You Streets N. W.

Send in your subscription at once for The "Bee" 2507 P street, agency.

Out of town agents:

E. D. Burts, 2636 State Street, Chicago, Ill.

J. H. Gray, 1233 Pine Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Robert S. Laurence, 417 1-2 King Street, Charleston, S. C.

James Allen, 1023 Texas Avenue, Shreveport, La.

Alphesus Conley, 7 Potter Street, Buffalo, N. Y.

Young & Olds, 1519 South Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

W. H. Robinson, 406 South 11th Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

Southwest.

Charles E. Smith, 312 G St. S. W.

Have you noticed the contest which is now on among the teachers. Send in your vote.

Ask you friends tto vote for you in the contest now going on among the teachers.

Mr. Napier declined the Liberian mission. He prefers to remain in the United States.

Register W. T. Vernon, it is reported, will serve another term.

Recorder Henry Lincoln Johnson is receiving great ovations in the South. He will be the mouth piece of the present administration it is reported.

The Langston's Portrait Club is succeeding well. The portrait will be placed in statutary hall, Howard's Carnegie's library.

WANTED—A RIDER AGENT IN EACH TOWN

and distribute sample Lotus Model "Bicycle" made to order by us. Our agents everywhere are making money fast. *Write for full particulars and special offer at once.*

DO NOT BUY A BICYCLE until you receive and approve of your bicycle. We ship to anyone, anywhere in the U. S. without a cent deposit in advance, *freight prepaid*, and allow **TEN DAYS' FREE TRIAL** during which time you may ride the bicycle and put it to any test you wish. If you are then not perfectly satisfied or do not wish to keep the bicycle ship it back to us at our expense and *you will not be out one cent.*

FACTORY PRICES We furnish the highest grade bicycles it is possible to make at one small profit above actual factory cost. You save $10 to $25 middleman's profits by buying direct of us and have the manufacturer's guarantee behind your bicycle. **DO NOT BUY** a bicycle or a pair of tires from anyone *at any price* until you receive our Catalogues and learn our unheard of *factory prices and remarkable special offers* to rider agents.

YOU WILL BE ASTONISHED when you receive our beautiful catalogue and study our superb models at the wonderfully low prices we can make you this year. We sell the highest grade bicycles for less money than any other factories. We are satisfied with $2.00 profit above factory cost.

BICYCLE DEALERS, you can sell our bicycles under your own name plate at double our prices. Orders filled the day received.

SECOND HAND BICYCLES. We do not regularly handle second hand bicycles, but usually have a number on hand taken in trade by our Chicago retail stores. These we clear out promptly at prices ranging from $3 to $8 or $10. Descriptive bargain lists mailed free.

COASTER-BRAKES, single wheels, imported roller chains and pedals, parts, repairs and equipment of all kinds *at half the usual retail prices.*

$8.50 REDGETHORN PUNCTURE-PROOF SELF-HEALING TIRES $4.80 A SAMPLE PAIR TO INTRODUCE, ONLY

The regular retail price of these tires is $8.50 per pair, but to introduce we will sell you a sample pair for $4.80 (car charges with order $4.53).

NO MORE TROUBLE FROM PUNCTURES

NAILS, Tacks or Glass will not let the air out. Sixty thousand pairs sold last year. Over two hundred thousand pairs now in use.

DESCRIPTION: Made in all sizes. It is lively and easy riding, very durable and lined inside with a special quality of rubber, which never becomes porous and which closes up small punctures without allowing the air to escape. We have hundreds of letters from satisfied customers stating that their tires have only been pumped up once or twice in a whole season. They weigh no more than an ordinary tire, the puncture resisting qualities being given by several layers of thin, specially prepared fabric on the tread. The regular price of these tires is $8.50 per pair, but for advertising purposes we are making a special factory price to the rider of only $4.80 per pair. All orders shipped same day letter is received. We ship C. O. D. on approval. You do not pay a cent until you have examined and found them strictly as represented.

Notice the thick rubber tread "A" and puncture strips "B" and "D," also rim strip "H" to prevent rim cutting. This tire will outlast any other make—SOFT, ELASTIC and EASY RIDING.

We will allow a **cash discount** of 5 per cent (thereby making the price **$4.55** per pair) if you send **FULL CASH WITH ORDER** and enclose this advertisement. We will also send one nickel plated brass hand pump. Tires to be returned at **OUR** expense if for any reason they are not satisfactory on examination. We are perfectly reliable and money sent to us is as safe as in a bank. If you order a pair of these tires, you will find that they will ride easier, run faster, wear better, last longer and look finer than any tire you have ever used or seen at any price. We know that you will be so well pleased that when you want a bicycle you will give us your order. We want you to send us a trial order at once, hence this remarkable tire offer.

IF YOU NEED TIRES don't buy any kind at any price until you send for a pair of Hedgethorn Puncture-Proof tires on approval and trial at the special introductory price quoted above; or write for our big Tire and Sundry Catalogue which describes and quotes all makes and kinds of tires at about half the usual prices.

DO NOT WAIT but write us a postal today. **DO NOT THINK OF BUYING** a bicycle or a pair of tires from anyone until you know the new and wonderful offers we are making. It only costs a postal to learn everything. Write it **NOW.**

J. L. MEAD CYCLE COMPANY, CHICAGO, ILL.

FOR YOU
IF YOU LIKE PERFUME
Send only 4¢ in stamps for a little sample of
ED. PINAUD'S
LILAC VEGETAL

The latest Paris perfume craze

A wonderful creation, just like the living blossoms. Ask your dealer for a large bottle -- 75c. (6 oz.) Write our American Offices to-day for the sample, enclosing 4c. (to pay postage and packing).

Parfumerie ED. PINAUD, Dept. M
ED. PINAUD BLDG. NEW YORK

GREAT AVENUE SAFE

Trade's Talons Not to Grip Famous Champs Elysees.

Not Even a Philharmonic Palace Will Be Tolerated on Proud Paris Thoroughfare and Children's Paradise Along Its Course.

Paris.—The probability that the Champs Elysees, the noblest avenue in the world, will always be preserved as an artistic promenade and a children's paradise has been strengthened by action just taken by the municipal council of Paris. The council not only refused to grant a permit for the construction of a Philharmonic palace on the site of the now defunct summer circus, but voted to investigate concessions previously granted, looking to the removal of some of the music halls and restaurants now flourishing there.

This official action is in keeping with the true Parisian spirit. The one occasion on which the Frenchman looses his pursestrings without a murmur is when an expenditure for municipal embellishment is proposed. No other city watches over the beauty of its boulevards and parks with such jealous care. Succeeding municipal administrations differ widely on all other points, but, whether the government is nationalist or socialist, its first aim is invariably to maintain intact the artistic inheritance of Europe's most beautiful capital.

There was almost a revolt, 13 years ago, when a tramway company asked a concession for a track across the avenue in a side street. This right was finally bestowed but had the council granted a subsequent application for a track along the Champs Elysees itself the lives of the city legislators would have been threatened by an aroused populace.

The single track across the driveway has always been regarded as a scar. It is not improbable that in a few years the tramway company will be required to construct a tunnel beneath the surface of the street. It is by underground passages that the city already is proposing to handle the foot traffic without interfering with the perpetual stream of vehicles or marring the beauty of the thoroughfare through the construction of viaducts. The first of these subter-

Garden of the Tuileries, Paris.

ranean passages, leading from side to side of the Avenue des Champs Elysees, has only recently been opened. If this proves as popular as is expected other such tunnels will be constructed under other busy tsreets, notably the grand boulevards.

The parkway known as the Champs Elysees, or Elysian Fields, was laid out near the end of the seventeenth century. It was called the Grand Cours at first and was given its present name in the time of Louis XVI. The avenue itself is more than a mile long and is lined from the Place de la Concorde to the Arc de Triomphe, with pine, lime and chestnut trees. The promenade is the favorite afternoon drive of the fashionable world of Paris and it is there that the badaud, or French cockney, is seen to perfection. On one side is a park, 750 yards long and 40 wide, which is filled with cafes chantants and such amusements and amusement-providers for children as jugglers, marionettes, merry-go-rounds and chocolate venders. Here idolizing parents stand for hours watching their petit bonhommes caracolling on wooden horses, while la bonne, in a snowy cap, holds the babies.

At night the thoroughfare, brilliantly illuminated, offers a vivid suggestion of fairyland.

The Avenues des Champs Elysees is one of the "lungs" of Paris. At each end and all about it are places of importance in the life and history of the city and the state. It almost skirts the River Seine, the Grand Palais and the Petit Palais, where there are great art exhibitions, separating the park from the quays at one point. An avenue starting at the Champs Elysees, between the two buildings, crosses the river on the beautiful Pont Alexandre III. and leads to Napoleon's tomb.

On the opposite side of the Champs Elysees is the Palais de l'Elysees, the official residence of the president of France. It was once the home of Mme. de Pompadour and was occupied in later years, successively, by Murat, Napoleon I., Louis Bonaparte and Queen Hortense, Emperor Alexander I. and Duc de Berri.

The throngs of motorists, carriage drivers, horse riders and bicyclists who visit the Bois de Boulogne traverse the Avenues des Champs Elysees first. Beyond the Arc the Avenue du Bois de Boulogne leads up past Princess de Sagan's pink marble palace to the famous woods.

HISTORIC VIRGINIA HOME.

House Where George Washington's Mother Lived and Died at Fredericksburg Still Standing.

Washington.—Not many tourists risit the house in which the mother of George Washington lived and died in Fredericksburg, Va. The Washingtons, or the branch of that large Washington family which played so great a role in American history, left the Pope's Creek's farm, later called "Wakefield," in Westmoreland county, about three years after the birth of George Washington. The family removed to another Washington farm in Stafford county on the north bank of the Rappanhannock river, opposite Fredericksburg. It was there that much of the boyhood of Washington was spent. It was there that the mythical exploits of chooping down

Where Mother of George Washington Died.

the cherry tree, etc., were performed.

After George Washington and his brothers had left this farm and after the marriage of Betty Washington to Maj. Fielding Lewis of Fredericksburg, Mrs. Mary Washington bought a cottage in Fredericksburg, close to "Kenmore," the home of her daughter, and resided there many years. She died in that cottage August 25, 1789.

The cottage is a plain two-story frame dwelling standing at the corner of Charles and Lewis streets—two village streets deep in dust or mud according to the weather. The house is heavily shaded by old sycamore trees and is furnished with Washington and other Virginia relics. It is owned and cared for by the Society for the Preservation of Virginia Antiquities. The superintendent is R. C. Beals, who, with his wife, occupies the house.

The big living room on the ground floor and to the left of the entrance is that in which Mrs. Washington died. As nearly as possible it is preserved as Mrs. Washington kept it. A rare old mahogany tester bed stands on that part of the floor where stood Mrs. Washington's bed. The original bed is owned by a member of the Washington family. The walls are lined with steel engravings which belonged to Mrs. Washington, and some of these were her property when she was Mary Ball, before her marriage to Augustine Washington, and came from her girlhood's home, "Epping Forest," in Lancaster county, about thirty miles from Fredericksburg. The room in the rear of this living and sleeping room was the dining-room, and the same table around which the Washingtons ate stands in the middle of the floor. The dining-room is bare of carpets or rugs and was in Mrs. Washington's time. The furnishings are plain and simple.

HEADS BANKERS' ASSOCIATION

Lewis E. Pierson, President of Big New York Financial Institution, Honored by Chicago Convention.

Chicago.—Lewis E. Pierson, president of the Irving National Exchange bank of New York, was unanimously elected president of the American Bankers' association at the convention recently held in this city.

President Pierson is 38 years of age

Lewis E. Pierson.

and a native of Metuchen, N. J. He was appointed cashier of the New York National Exchange bank in 1898 and subsequently was made vice-president. He asumed the presidency January 12, 1904, at the age of 33 years. The New York National Exchange bank absorbed the Irving National bank in 1906, and Mr. Pierson retained the presidency of the enlarged institution.

Bullfrogs a Campaign Issue.

Howell, Ind.—Bullfrogs are a live political issue in Howell, which is surrounded by ponds teeming with frogs. At the municipal election an independent candidate for mayor with a platform advocating extermination of the frogs by filling in the ponds will run against candidates of the regular parties. Apparently he will be elected.

Richasdon's Pure Drug Store

316 4½ Street, S. W.

Just received a large assignment of fresh drugs and a large collection of very fine toilet preparations, Easter goods, and many useful articles, just the thing you desire for Easter offering.

Richardson's Old Reliable Pure Drug Store,
316 4½ Street, S. W.
and 14th and RStreets, N. W.

Work of Practical Joker.

The Corriere of Rome, which published some time ago a copy of a document said to have been found in the library at Bergamo containing an account of "an airship voyage across the English channel in 1751," is receiving much attention at the hands of investigators. In the Tribune's notice of this alleged achievement, in which a monk named Grimaldi, of Civita Vecchia, was the chief actor, it was stated that there was nothing in the Italian paper's article to indicate that it was not written in good faith. "Now," writes an Englishman from Rome, "the records of Civita Vecchia are being searched in vain for a Grimaldi and the papers of England for a story of the flight. The document may be in the library, but who was the practical joker who placed it there?" —New York Tribune.

Wireless-Telephone on Warships.

According to daily press reports wireless telephony has not proved an unqualified success on the battleship fleet. It was imposible to send messages over any great distance except under the most favorable conditions and when the telephone was in use the telegraph had to keep silent.

False Doctrine.

The late Dr. Theodore Wolf, professor of chemistry at Delaware college, set officeholders a rare example of unselfishness by having his fees as state chemist greatly reduced on the ground that they were exorbitant.

"Dr. Wolf," said a Newark man, "was a delightful lecturer. I often dropped into the college to hear him. I'll never forget one of his lectures on quack medicines.

"He told us about an early patient of his, a man who dosed himself with about a half-peck of pills and two or three gallons of quack medicine every week.

"There was nothing the matter with the fool, but all this silly medicine swilling, and Dr. Wolf told him so, but it did no good.

"Then Dr. Wolf appealed to the man's wife to stop him, but she declared that it couldn't be done. She had quoted at him, again and again, she said, the verse in the liturgy that pointed out his sin, and—

"'But where,' interrupted Dr. Wolf, bewildered, 'where does the liturgy say anything against taking quack medicine?'

McCALL PATTERNS 10 AND 15 NONE HIGHER

McCALL'S MAGAZINE 50 A YEAR INCLUDING A FREE PATTERN

McCALL PATTERNS
Celebrated for style, perfect fit, simplicity and reliability nearly 40 years. Sold in nearly every city and town in the United States and Canada, or by mail direct. More sold than any other make. Send for free catalogue.

McCALL'S MAGAZINE
More subscribers than any other fashion magazine—million a month. Invaluable. Latest styles, patterns, dressmaking, millinery, plain sewing, fancy needlework, hairdressing, etiquette, good stories, etc. Only 50 cents a year (worth double), including a free pattern. Subscribe today, or send for sample copy.

WONDERFUL INDUCEMENTS
to Agents. Postal brings premium catalogue and new cash prize offers. Address
THE McCALL CO., 238 to 248 W. 37th St., NEW YORK

THE BEE AND McCALL'S GREAT FASHION MAGAZINE
for one year for $1.00.
COUPON.

Editor Bee:—
Find enclosed two dollars. Send to my address below The Bee and McCall's Fashion Magazine for one year.

No.....
Street.....
Town or City.....

Who is your favorite teacher?

More teachers have entered the contest.

Three months subscription will entitle your favorite teacher to 25 votes.

Six months subscription will entitle your favorite teacher to 50 votes.

One yearly subscription will entitle your favorite teacher to 100 votes.

If.

Hot air was salable what a lot of merchants Washington would have.

Knocking was a profession what a lot of graduates this town could furnish.

All office holders had been as provident as Dancy retiring from office would not be a terrible blow.

Jim Cobb does not get married before this year is out he will be placed in the "undesirable class."

Some colored men only knew their limitations what a lot of trouble would be saved the appointing power.

The School Board is to furnish commencement orators from its own membership for the colored schools half the interest and pleasure of commencement exercises will be lost.

Ralph Tyler controlled all the newspapers he is charged with, and wrote all the matter he is accused of he would not have time to run his office, and would be bankrupt besides.

Lincoln Johnson took all the advice seriously that is offered him he would be a fit subject for St. Elizabeth before he had drawn two months' pay in his office.

Some of the assassins of men and women's character were hailed up in court, and made to pay the penalty for slander gossip around this berg would be greatly reduced.

Washington people compared the size, influence, standing and longevity of The Bee with some of the mushroom sheets that spring up here they would readily see that The Bee is "IT."

Before You Purchase Any Other Write
THE NEW HOME SEWING MACHINE COMPANY
ORANGE, MASS.
Many Sewing Machines are made to sell regardless of quality, but the "New Home" is made to wear. Our guaranty never runs out.
We make Sewing Machines to suit all conditions of the trade. The "New Home" stands at the head of all High-grade family sewing machines
Sold by authorized dealers only.
FOR SALE BY

Go to
HOLMES' HOTEL,
No. 333 Virginia Ave., S.W

Best Afro-American Accommodation in the District.

EUROPEAN AND AMERICAN PLAN.

Good Rooms and Lodging, 50c, 75c. and $1.00. Comfortably Heated by Steam. Give us a Call

James Otoway Holmes, Prop.
Washington, D. C.
Main Phone 2318.

DOM

There are many colored families who are living in crowded houses on small plots of land in towns or cities who want real freedom and real opportunity for themselves and for their children. It is very difficult to rear children in a crowded town or city. The place to rear children is in the country.

In Macon County, Alabama, the colored people have a rare and exceptional opportunity. This is the county in which The Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute is located. There is plenty of good land for sale on easy terms. There is a good schoolhouse, and the school term lasting from seven to eight months in every part of the county. The white people in Macon County are of the very best class. There is no disorder or racial trouble. We advise colored people who are now living in crowded towns or cities, in the North or in the South, and especially those who have children to raise to come to Macon County and buy a home where they can get plenty of land to cultivate and rear their families in the county free from the temptations of the cities and towns.

For further information write or see:

Clinton J. Calloway, Real Estate

TEACHERS CONTEST

Interest continues to grow in the teachers Atlantic City contest. In this issue several of the Howard University teachers have been sent in by their friends. The Bee is reminded by a student who sent in the name of Dr. Moore that if votes will secure the prize Dr. Moore will get them. Well, the field is open to all and if you want your favorite to win get a move on you.

Every coupon cut out of The Bee entitles you to one vote.

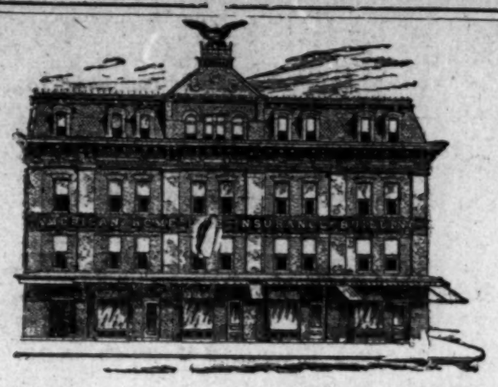
Every cash yearly subscription will entitle you to 100 votes.

Every six month cash subscriber will entitle you to 50 votes.

Every three months cash subscriber will entitle you to 25 votes; one of the best cottages and one of the popular ones have been selected.

30, 15 and 7 days trip respectively given absolutely free to the successful teachers, including all expenses. Are such offers worth working for? If so, let every teacher go to work. Look at the list of new entries this week.

READ THE BEE.



SICK AND ACCIDENT INSURANCE UP TO $25.00 PER WEEK
WHOLE LIFE INSURANCE ON VERY LIBERAL TERMS
PAYABLE ONE HOUR AFTER DEATH.
AMERICAN HOME LIFE INSURANCE CO.,
FIFTH and G Streets N. W. Washington, D. C

WORTH ADVERTISING FOR

There are 5,499 Negroes employed here in Washington by the Government alone, and these 5,499 Negroes draw salaries aggregating $3,044,404. These more than three millions of dollars are spent right here in Washington, but scattered among the hundreds of tradesmen. Is this amount of money worth bidding for? It certainly is, and not even the largest stores in this city would refuse to get the big end of it did they but realize how much money the Negroes are really spending.

Now The Bee is the only Negro publication in this city. It stands without a rival or competitor, and covers the field like a a few of the merchants in this city will patronize the advertising columns of The Bee, presenting the attractive bargains they may have, these Negroes — these 5,499 Negroes who draw annually from the Government over three millions of dollars — will assume that by patronizing a publication edited and operated by one of their race that such firms desire and deserve their patronage. And such firms will receive the bulk of these over thre milions of dollars received and spent by the Negroes of Washington.

What clothing stores, what furniture stores, what dry goods stores and what other lines of business will now make an effort to divert to themselves these over three millions of dollars spent by Washington Negroes by advertising in The Bee?

Place your advertising in The Bee and watch these 5,499 appreciative Negroes spend their over three millions of dollars with you.

Now is the time to advertise in The Bee, the newspaper that goes into every Negro home in Washington. Remember, merchants of Washington, it's what advertising pays you, not what it costs.

MORE MONEY— RACE PROGRESS.

If colored people groom themselves daintly, destroy perspiration odors, remove grease shine from the face, and use our new discoveries for improving the skin and dressing the hair, they will be better received in the business world, make more money, and advance faster.

The Chemical Wonder Company of New York is the best business friend colored people have. It improves their bodies as Dr. Booker Washington improves their minds. That Company manufacturers nine Chemical Wonders, which will make colored people as attractive as individual peculiarities will permit. Colored men in New York who use these Wonders hold better situations in banks, clubs and business houses, and women have better positions, marry better, get along better.

(1,) Complexion WonderCream will light up any colored face (black or brown) every time it is used. To prove this on one trial, we send demonstration sample for 10 cents. Regular jar, 50 cents postpaid.

(2) Magneto-Metallic Comb, called Wonder Comb. Can be heated before using, to help straighten and dress the hair. Costs 50 cents, and will last a lifetime.

(3) Wonder Uncurl. When this pomade dressing is in the hair the kinks can be uncurled and the hair becomes flexible. When heated into the scalp and through the hair with a Wonder Comb, any stiff, knotty hair will dress well. 50 cents postpaid.

(4) Wonder Hair Grow fertilizes the scalp and makes hair grow long, just as fertilizers in the soil make cornstalks grow. 50 cents postpaid.

(5) Odor Wonder Powder instantly destroys perspiration odor. People who neglect such chemical cleansing are obnoxious. 50 cents postpaid.

(6) Odor Wonder Liquid. This fine toilet water surrounds the body with delicate perfume. When used with used with Odor Wonder Powder the conditions of the body become perfect. If you can spare 50 cents extra, order this luxury. 50 cents postpaid.

(7) Wonder Foot Powder keeps the feet dainty. 50 cents, postpaid.

(8) Wonder Wash. A shampoo to clean from dandruff and insure the health of the hair and scalp. 50 cents postpaid.

(9) Shell Pink Creme will give light brown girls beautiful pink cheeks without made-up appearance. 50 cents postpaid.

We guarantee all these Wonders as represented.

We give advice free about hair, skin and scalp.

Will send book an attractiveness free.

We will prove we are true business friends of colored people.

We require one agent for every locality and guarantee you against loss. Only $2 capital required.

Always write to M. B. Berger & Co., 2 Rector Street, New York. We market all the Chemical Wonder Company preparations.

THE BEE

PUBLISHED
at
1109 Eye St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

W. CALVIN CHASE, EDITOR

Entered at the Post Office at Washington, D. C., as second-class mail matter.

ESTABLISHED 1880.

TERMS OF SUBSCRIPTION.

One copy per year in advance	$2.00
Six months	1.00
Three months	.50
Suscription monthly	.20

REASONS FOR A CHANGE.

The Duke of Wellington is credited with the remark that a fool could place a million men in Hyde Park, London, but it would require a General to march them out. The colored children in the public schools in the District of Columbia, nearly 17,000 strong, are put there not by fools, but by honest and hard working parents with the hope that a General—not a Freak—would conduct them safely and thoroughly along the firing line of education. What blasted hope! Not since the day of George F. T. Cook and Winfield Scott Montgomery have the colored schools of the District of Columbia had a master mind at their head. An institution of learning of the capacity of the public school system for colored children has long passed the experimental point and requires a broad-gauge educator, without college frills or furbelows, as substitute for common sense. College education, when accompanied with mature judgment and practical experience, is a good companion, but when bereft of those essentials, is only a pleasing dream of departed days. The lack of cohesion between the present Head Master and his teaching force is in broad contrast with that of the administration of Cook and Montgomery. During the official life of those gentlemen as Head Master perfect harmony existed; confidence reigned supreme. No satellites were sent among the teaching force to create discord; no whispering corners breathing forth the superiority of the chosen few and discounting the brains of the many. Prior to the accidental incumbency of the present Head Master the children in the colored schools had no veneering education, but a solid-laid foundation upon which was built a lasting superstructure. The fancy and theoretical educational lines laid down by the present Head Master smacks of the cold trimmings left over from some trade-mark from either Harvard or Tuskegee, or both.

The deep interest we have in our schools, knowing them as we do from our early childhood, inspires us to champion their cause when we see them drifting from their safe moorings. The education of the negro boy and girl is too sacred a matter to be entrusted to inexperienced and immature experimentalists simply because they talk college. In this practical day those who are, numerically, in authority in the administration of school affairs owe it not only to themselves, but to the large number of colored citizens and taxpayers in the District of Columbia, that a thoroughly competent and practical man is placed in charge of their schools. The white schools have in Mr. A. T. Stuart a Head Master that any school system should be proud of. His breadth and depth as a gentleman and scholar are unmeasurable; his learning and integrity are companions—one of broad culture and the other unquestionable.

It is not to be expected for the colored, or any other schools, to get the duplicate of Mr. Stuart. "For nature made but one such man and broke the mould," etc. The colored people do ask, and will insist that their schools be made good public schools, and not a poor imitation of college. The school days fr the negro boy and girl are by reason of poverty and combination of circumstances limited. Therefore it becomes a necessity to give them something educationally substantial, and not waste the few golden days in abstract deductions. There are among the colored people broad-gauge men of sensible caliber, free from self-esteem and conceit and fully competent to direct the colored school on a safe and sane plan, even if they don't have college stamped upon the broadest part of their anatomy. And what reason can be given for not securing such a man?

MR. EVENS.

Dr. Bruce Even's Apology.

Dr. W. Bruce in an address before the parents and citizens at Israel Methodist Church, Monday night, said among other things the folowing:

Honest Efforts in School.

"This sweeping statement, so often heard, I desire to refute in the strongest possible terms, for the great majority of the children in Armstrong School, at least, are putting forth honest effort in every direction to repay the sacrifices made by poor, hard-working parents to send them to school.

"There is another danger which I wish to mention at this time. There are those among us who pretend to a kind of leadership who would not and do not hesitate to defame the good name of our public schools by covert attacks on the integrity and honesty of the members of our board of education, our superintendent and assistant superintendent and their subordinates. Have a care about accepting advice from such people! Their only hope and only thought is to gain a kind of cheap notoriety by forcing themselves in the most offensive way upon the parents and pupils of our system."

Assured of Square Deal.

"From Capt. James F. Oyster, president of the board of education; from Supt. A. T. Stuart, from Asst. Supt. R. C. Bruce and from their colleagues and subordinates, every parent and every child, no matter how humble might be the occupation or the social status, will get on all occasions and at all times a square deal."

The Bee is at a loss to know where Dr. A. Bruce Evens got all of this rot. To whom is he trying to cater? The Bee denies that the people or any one else in the colored race in this city ever condemned, abused or criticised any member of the Board of Education for not doing his or her duty. The colored people have the highest regard and respect for Captain Oyster, and no one knows this better than Dr. Bruce Evens. The colored people do respect Superintendent Stuart, and if they have criticised Assistant Superintendent Bruce, they have done so before his face and for a just reason. Can Dr. Bruce Evens say as much? No one has criticised Mr. Bruce any more than Dr. Evens, especially when he, Bruce, used certain parts of a letter written by Dr. Evens to Mr. Bruce. When Mr. Bruce reduced Prof. Storms, who criticised this act any more than Dr. Evens? In speaking of a "square deal," who has condemned the methods in the normal school any more than Dr. Evens? Just a few days ago he declared that he intended to clean out the entire normal school. Was a "square deal" being issued out when Dr. Evens made this declaration? The colored people have the highest respect for the Board of Education, and they certainly feel grateful to Captain Oyster and certain other members of the Board for what has been done for parents and children. The Bee would advise this disciple of industrial education to go slow.

IN HIS PRIME.

Commissioner Cuno Rudolph celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of his birth. Mr. Rudolph is just in the prime of life, young, handsome and noble. He is a gentleman of fine parts, and the people wish for him fifty more successful years. There is no red tape strung across the door of Commissioner Rudolph. His private secretary, Mr. Hibbs, is a gentleman, and always greets the visitors of the distinguished Commissioner in a manner that makes them feel that Mr. Rudolph represents them in the affairs of our local government. He is no autocrat or bombast. He has a dignified and a reserved air that will make you feel that you are an American citizen. He doesn't have to puff like a steam engine going up a hill to cause the populace to look with fear. The Bee congratulates you, Mr. Rudolph, and may you live to a ripe old age.

OUR SCHOOLS AGAIN.

It makes but little difference how hard some of the members of the Board of Education work to bring the colored schools up to the standard of the white schools, a change must be made in several of the heads of the colored schools. There is too much favoritism and discrimination, which the present investigation will bring out. Who is to blame, is the question the Board of Education is now investigating.

Certainly the principal of the schools would not have made such a marking if they had not been ordered to do so. Who ordered them is the question the Board should investigate, and if Mr. Stuart finds on investigation that any one higher in authority in the schools is guilty of fraud or wrong-doing, he should be dismissed at once.

TEACHERS' CONTEST.

The teachers' contest will close this evening at 7 o'clock. All votes must be in the hands of Miss G. B. Maxfield by 7 o'clock this evening. She will be at the office of the Bee until 7 o'clock to receive all votes, and at that hour sharp the polls will close. Voters are warned that no votes will be received for any one after the hour named above. Thus far Miss Mary E. Willson runs ahead, with Miss Beatriz L. Chase a close second, Miss Elfrida Kennedy third, and Mr. Robert Mattingly fourth. Up to the hour this paper went to press, hundreds of votes have come in for the respective contestants. The winner will be announced next Saturday.

KNOCKERS AND KICKERS.

What has become of the knockers and kickers? The Bee means those who wanted to control the anniversary of the freedom of the negroes. Where is Prof. (?) R. R. Wright and his cohorts? Why don't they come forward and denounce Congress for defeating the five thousand dollars appropriation for the use of the committee? The Bee knew the moment there was the least dissatisfaction there would be defeat somewhere. Dr. Washington was the first person to suggest the proposition of the idea of a celebration and the first man to be rebuked by a lot of disgruntlers.

MR. BIEBER.

What offence has Mr. Bieber committed that the Senate refuses to confirm him for the Collector of the Port of Georgetown? Mr. Bieber has had a hard time. He is an active Republican and rendered great assistance to the Republican party in the last campaign. The alleged charges against him were investigated and found to be untrue. Now, will men carry their personal grievances beyond reason and endurance? Mr. Bieber is competent and the Bee hopes that the President will appoint him.

SECRETARY NORTON.

The President's private secretary, Mr. Norton, is not only a polished gentleman, but a man who will win for the President a host of friends. What the President needs now are friends, and strong ones at that. Secretary Norton endeavors to cater to the people. He is not one of those bombastic aristocrats who imagines that he owns the world as well as the people. The President could not have made a better selection.

Government Jobs.

Persons who do not reside in Washington can form no adequate idea of the pressure brought to bear on Senators and Representatives for positions in the Government service. Men and women, young and old, troop to the Capitol every day with this refrain:

"I want a job and I know you can get it for me if you only try."

As a matter of fact, it is an extremely difficult thing to secure positions in the service, now that civil service is the rule in all the executive departments. This, however, is an advanatge rather than a disadvantage to the office seekers. Especially is this true of the men who make the applications, for when a man goes "into the Government" he practicaly condemns himself to amount to nothing for the rest of his life. There is scarcely an opportunity for any but the slowest promotion, and a Government clerk who gets more than $1,500 a year is playing in fine luck.

To one young man who was anxious to get such a job a western representative once said:

"Young man, you will have more chance for a future if you go back home and maul rails. You might as well cast yourself into the sea with a millstone about your neck as to go into a Government department and expect to accomplish anything."

Nevertheless, it is hard to persuade the office hunters of this. They expect to have easy hours and a comparatively easy wage. They get this, but added to it is drudgery for life, a treadmill existence unlighted by the hope of achievement or fame. When they marry and rear families their former "easy wage" cannot keep them out of debt, and this once accumulated in Washington, remains.—From Popular Magazine.

The "Nigger" Who "Won't Work."

Our Tar Heel contemporary the Charlotte Observer says:

"It is rather surprising to learn from official estimates that in 1910 South Carolina's crops of cotton, corn, wheat, oats, barley, rye, buckwheat, flaxseed, rice, potatoes, hay and tobacco aggregated more than North Carolina's, although North Carolina led Virginia by not far from 50 per cent and Tennessee by a fair margin. In 1899 the two States stood: North Carolina, $53,214,-00; South Carolina, $51,324,00. In 1909 the standing was: South Carolina, $109,-013,00; North Carolina, $103,148,00.

"South Carolina has an area considerably less than three-fifths as large as North Carolina's and a population little more than two-thirds as large. Moreover, of South Carolina's population nearly three-fifths are negroes, while North Carolina's negro population is in the proportion of slightly less than one-third. To be sure, North Carolina has much larger areas of mountain and coast land which have not yet been made productive, but, after all allowances, South Carolina's record remains the better.

"It behooves North Carolina farmers to catch the pace which South Carolina is setting."

The point of chief significance and interest in these figures is that South Carolina has a population three-fifths negro, North Carolina a negro population of less than one-third and Virginia a still smaller proportion; yet South Carolina leads her whiter sisters.

Many years ago two yellowed and anæmic farmers sunned themselves upon a worm fence in Georgia and after a few hours communion with corncob pipes agreed that "the damned 'niggers' wouldn't work anyhow." Then they retreated to the house, drank mountain whiskey with fluency, and left their wives and children to do the chores. The "slogan" passed to Mississippi and became a thing to charm with. Now we are told that South Carolina, with its great percentage of negro population is a "banner producer" of crops!—New York Sun.

Class Day Exercises.

The graduating exercises of the eighth grade classes took place on the 22nd day of June at the following places: Those of the Tenth Division, Mr. J. C. Nalle, Supervising Principal, were held at Summer School. The exercises of the Eleventh Division, Miss M. P. Shadd, Supervising Principal, were held at the New Mott School. The Twelfth Division, Dr. W. S. Montgomery, Supervising Principal, held their exercises at the M Street High School, and the Thirteenth Division, Mr. J. W. Walker, Supervisor, were held at the M Street High School.

Never before was greater activity observed in the grades; the principals rallied around their supervisors, who vied with one another for the success of this new feature in these schools. All of them should be congratulated.

Class day exercises were held in several of the eighth grade class rooms this year by the pupils of those schools. Those at the Alfred Jones School and the New Mott were very successful and well attended.

Class day exercises at Alfred Jones School.

Program.

Class March (Original).. Mary Logan
Gems..... The Class
Salutatory ..... Consuelo Johnston
Class Poem..... Juanita Shaw
Class History..... Clyde Scott
Chorus..."Love's Old Sweet Song....
..... Class
Class Ode..... Theresa Woodley

Scene from the Merchant of Venice: Gertrude Henry, Consuelo Johnston, Louise Marshall, Jennie Primm, William Dean, Robert Sewall, Gustave Oger, Ruby Wood.

Instrumental Solo ....."Film"....
..... Miriam Williams
Class Journal..... Helen Young
Class Prophecy..... Miriam Williams
Chorus....."Alma Mater"..... Class
Giftatory ..... Hilda Russell
Valedictory..... Gertrude Henry
Class Song..... Edith Stevenson
Class Will..... Louise Marshall

Class Officers: Louise Marshall, president; Juanita Shaw, first vice president; Miriam Williams, second vice president; Hilda Russell, secretary; Clyde Scott, treasurer.

Class colors, White, Green and Gold; class flower, Carnation.

Class roll, motto "Angeo,": Blanche Coleman, Cordelia Harris, Gertrude Henry, Emily High, Agnes Johnson, Consuelo Johnston, Mary Logan, Marie Love, Gertrude Lucas, Louise Marshall, Marie Moten, Iola Norman, Ruth Norman, Marie Plummer, Jennie Primm, Hilda Russell, Edith Stevenson, Juanita Shaw, Clyde Scott, Ruth Tapp, Miriam Williams, Theresa Woodley, Ruby Wood, Ethel Williams, Helen Young, William Bell, William Dean, William Henry, George Hanson, Gustave Oger, Pleasant Rucker, Robert Sewall.

Class song: To be sung to the tune of the Battle Hymn of the Republic.

Today marks the end of our first eight years of school,
We are going forth to conquer and to do the golden rule;
We are grieved to leave our teacher, we dislike to leave our school,
But we must be marching on.
Chorus.
Glory, glory hallelujah! Etc.

This has been a year of pleasure, one of great endeavor too,
We studied our books, thoroughly, we know them through and through,
We mean to always conquer, to always dare and do,
As we are marching on.

This parting is not pleasant, yet our hearts are light and gay,
When we realize our teacher has prepared for us the way,
We'll always sing her praises, naught will e'er our song allay
As we are marching on.

Miss Mary Dickerson, of Eleventh street, left the city on Monday to attend the summer school at Michigan.

Election of Officers.

The Keystone Grand Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, Southern and Western Juridictions, met at its usual place of meeting, O Street armory, and elected the following named officers for the ensuing year:

Mrs. Lucindia Robinson, Royal Grand Matron; Mrs. Josephine Lancaster, Royal Grand Vice-Matron; Miss Bessie Smith, Royal Grand Secretary; Miss Rosetta King, Royal Grand Treasurer; A. Payne, Royal Grand Patron.

Mrs. S. Hopkins, Supreme Grand Matron of the Southern and Western Jurisdictions, was present and had the honor of installing the newly elected officers.

DR. SHEPARD.

The Bee will contain in a future issue the work of the great National Religious Training School of Durham, N. C. A full history of this school, with illustrations, will appear. Dr. Shepard, its president, deserves great credit for the work that he has accomplished. This school will be one of the greatest institutions in the South. In fact no other institution of its kind is now in existence.

WOMENS' CLUB.

The National Association of Colored Womens' Clubs will hold its annual session in Louisville, Ky., July 11th to 16th, inclusive. Every effort is being put forth to make the coming meeting the most successful in the history of the association. Reduced rates have been secured on the certificate plan. Persons intending to be present should purchase straight tickets to Louisville, securing a certificate receipt which, when properly signed by the secretary of the association, will entitle the holder to one-half regular fare plus fifty cents for the return trip.

Stopping places have been secured where ample accommodations may be had at a uniform rate of $1.00 per day, including board. Persons desiring such accommodations should apply to Mrs. M. E. Steward, 825 Eighth Street, Louisville, Ky.

First executive board meeting, Monday, July 11th, 10 o'clock, A. M. at C. M. E. Church.

Rev. Scott Dead.

Boston, Mass., June 28.

Rev. W. H. Scott, formerly of your city, died here to-day. He was a fearless race advocate and a man of many noble parts. His daughter was telegraphed for. She is in Washington.

Miss Scott, daughter of Rev. W. H. Scott, who has been living with the Misses Dickenson since a baby left for Boston, Mass., Tuesday morning. She was accompanied to the Union Station by Mr. Geo. Johnson and his little daughter. Miss Scott is bearing up well over the death of her father. She is an amiable young lady.

Have you a favorite teacher, vote for him or her.

Free Trips to Atlantic City

FOR THE

THREE MOST POPULAR SCHOOL TEACHERS

The Washington Bee has decided to provide three great prizes for the most popular teachers in the Washington Public Schools. The contest is open to either male or female.

Each week, until July 2d, inclusive, there will appear in The Bee a coupon, entitling the holder to one vote for any one of the Washington school or Howard University teachers. In addition, for every yearly subscription received from now to the close of the contest SIXTY VOTES will be allowed; for every six months' subscription, THIRTY VOTES, and for every three months' subscription, FIFTEEN VOTES.

THREE PRIZES

The teacher receiving the highest number of votes will be given a trip to Atlantic City for 30 days, with railroad fare and board paid.

The teacher receiving the next highest number of votes will be given a trip to Atlantic City for two weeks, with railroad fare and board paid.

The teacher receiving the third highest number of votes will be given a trip to Atlantic City for one week, with railroad fare and board paid.

CONTEST CLOSES JULY 2, 1910

This is a grand opportunity for teachers to have an enjoyable outing at the most popular summer resort in America absolutely free.

THIS IS THE GREATEST OFFER

Ever made by any race newspaper—three trips, with all expenses paid to Atlantic City.

GET BUSY NOW. GET YOUR FRIENDS BUSY

And you may secure one of these delightful trips offered by The Washington Bee, the leading race newspaper in Washington.

Each week, until the close of the contest, the following coupon will appear in THE BEE. Cut it out, fill in the name of your favorite teacher, and mail it in time to reach The Bee by Tuesday of the following week.

The Bee's Teachers' Contest Coupon

One vote for.....

.....

Teacher in the.....

.....School

JUNE 25

REMEMBER

The contest is open for male or female, and that it will close July 2d, 1910. The three teachers receiving the highest number of votes will be allowed to take the trip any time in July or August.

Let the votes come thick and fast for the free trip to Atlantic City for the most popular School Teachers.

THE WASHINGTON BEE 1109 Eye Street, Northwest

Get your drugs, medicines and toilet articles at the Board & McGuire Pharmacy 1912 1-2 14th St. N. W. "The place where everybody meets everybody else."

Mrs. William Sanford is the guest of her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Howell, in New Haven, Conn.

Mr. Walter S. Savoy is spending his summer vacation at Manhattan Beach.

Miss Mazie French left on Tuesday of last week to resume duties as teacher in the Gordonsville (Va.) summer school.

A reception was tendered Miss Orme and Miss Whittington at Martin's Cafe, on Tuesday evening, June 21st. A very enjoyable evening was spent.

Mrs. A. D. Price and her son, Master Edward, of Richmond, Va., are visiting relatives in this city.

Mrs. Courtney Baker and her grandson, Thomas R. Hewlett, of Richmond, Va., visited relatives in this city last week.

Mrs. Mary H. Dawson and her daughter, Miss Mattie, of Richmond, Va., were the guests of Mrs. Mollie Morton, at 1442 T Street N. W., last week.

Among the visitors from Richmond, Va., last week to the Matrons' conference were Misses Julia I. Stephens, Gertrude D. Lawrence, Mrs. Laura H. Irving, Madames Ella O. Waller, Rosa E. Watson, Martha S. Morgan, Lucinda S. Daggett, Mattie F. Johnson, Eva B. Evans and Mary Griffin.

Miss Helen and Master Edward Johnson, of Richmond, Va., are visiting friends in this city.

Misses Mamie Robinson and Lula Webb, of Richmond, Va., spent a few days here last week.

Miss Norma E. Boyd, a graduate of School of Liberal Arts of Howard University, 1910, left to-day for Columbia University, N. Y., where she will attend summer school.

Miss Alice Whittaker, of Storer College, is visiting friends in this city. Before returning to her home in Charleston, W. Va., she will visit friends in Cumberland.

Miss Nellie E. Johnson was recently the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Butler, of 1433 Argyle Avenue, Baltimore, Md.

Miss Lula and Kate Watkins have returned to their home in Richmond, Va., after a pleasant stay of a week in this city.

Miss Cornelia Johnson, of this city, is spending some of her vacation at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Amelia Wormley is visiting Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Minton in Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Jno. P. Turner has returned to her home in Philadelphia, Pa., after a pleasant visit to this city.

Major C. A. Fleetwood was in Philadelphia, Pa., last week and was the guest of Mr. James T. Bradford.

Mrs. Edward Harris has returned to her home in Philadelphia, Pa., after a very pleasant trip to this city and Hampton, Va.

Mr. Fred Sorrel, of Philadelphia, Pa., is spending a few days here.

Mr. Florado Howard, of this city, is the guest of his son, Mr. Adolph Howard, in Philadelphia, Pa.

Mrs. Pauline Johnson Smith, of this city, is visiting relatives and friends in Richmond, Va.

Miss Kate G. Robinson, of Richmond, Va., is spending a very pleasant vacation in this city.

Mrs. Mary L. Burke has returned home after spending a few days in Richmond, Va., with her sister.

Miss Rosabelle and her brother, Mr. Willard Lane, returned home Saturday from Oberlin, Ohio, where they have been attending college.

Mr. Harry S. Seymore, a graduate of our Business High school, has returned to his home in Garfield, D. C. Mr. Seymore has been stenographer at Tuskegee Institute, Ala., for the past two years. He is highly welcomed by his friends here. He will leave the city shortly for Atlantic City to spend his summer vacation.

Miss Raddon, of Springfield, Ohio, arrived here on Wednesday of last week to fill a position in the Census Bureau.

Miss Maude E. Jones celebrated her nineteenth birthday on Friday evening, June 17th, at her mother's residence, 1302 G Street N. E. She was beautifully attired in a light blue satin gown, trimmed with lace. At one end of the table was a large cake which held 19 candles, and in the center of the table was a vase of lilies of the valley. Miss Jones was the recipient of many handsome presents.

Mrs. Elizabeth A. Martin gave a wedding reception in honor of her daughter, Roselle B. and Mr. John Preston Myers, on Wednesday evening, June 29th, at 10 o'clock, at 624 L Street N. E. At home after July 7th.

Col. R. D. Goodman, 33 degree, Past Commander Sumner Post No. 9, G. A. R., is sick at Garfield Hospital, this city.

Mr. W. H. Tuggle, Jr., of Atlanta, Ga., is spending his vacation in this city.

A smoker was given in honor of Social Lodge No. 1, F. A. A. M., by Past Master Wm. B. Brooks, at his residence, 1223 Twenty-second Street N. W., on June 10th.

The following persons were present: P. G. M., W. H. Grimshaw; G. S. W., J. T. Tascoe; P. M., W. J. Abrams; P. M., William Becken; G. Potate, B. F. Pope, of Macco Temple; G. C. Gen., Prymer Simmons, of G. Com. K. T.; W. M., Alex. F. Clarke; S. W. H., D. B. Burrwell; J. W., Andrew Payne; C. D., C. H. Boage; J. D., W. T. Menard; S. M. C., W. H. Miller; J. N. C., E. W. Shields; Sec., F. A. Fowler; Sir, Longstreet Bradford; P. M., Chas. D. Freeman; P. M., J. E. Smith; P. M., G. M. Marston; P. G. Sec. Blaghern, of Ivory; P. M. Peter Walker, Emb., Jerry Plummer, of Ohio; Sir P. G. Com., Judge Melvin.

Toastmaster E. W. Shields in his speech called the attention of Sir to the 43 mile-posts that Sir W. B. Brooks had passed in Masonry, and how proud Social Lodge was of her son who had just passed all honor that could be conferred on him.

Mr. H. L. Johnson, Recorder of Deeds, who has been at his home in Atlanta, Ga., for two weeks, recuperating from a surgical operation, returned to this city to resume his office duties.

Mrs. Mary Lee Jones, who attended the Matrons' conference in this city last week, has returned to her home in Cambridge, Mass.

Rev. I. N. Ross, who has been visiting friends in Atlanta, Ga., has returned to this city. While there he was the guest of honor at a luncheon given by Mrs. Savannah Carter.

Mrs. Ottie Brooks Jones, of Charleston, W. Va., is visiting her parents in this city.

Mr. Clarence Cherry, of this city, is visiting his mother in Tarboro, N. C.

Prof. Kelley Miller made three addresses in Dallas, Texas, on Sunday, June 19th.

Prof. Kelley Miller lectured at Hutchinson, Kan., on June 28th.

Dr. Chas. H. Marshall, president of the Medico-Chirurgical Society of this city, has been elected delegate to the National Medical convention, which convenes here on August 23rd.

Mr. W. Sidney Pittman returned to the city from Durham, N. C., Monday evening, where he has been on business.

Dr. L. B. Moore, of the teachers' college of Harvard University, returned to the city last Sunday from the West, as far as Topeka, Kansas, where he has been on a lecturing tour. Dr. Moore has greatly improved in health.

After the 5 and 10 cent theatre, between the acts, and at all hours, ice cream soda is now all the rage, especially that snappy, cold, pure, delicious kind that is served at the drug store of Board & &McGuire, 1912 1-2 14th St. N. W. It is made right, served right, tastes right, and is right.

Rev. Dr. C. T. Walker, of Augusta, Ga., has been conducting revival services for Rev. Tyler, pastor of the Mt. Airy Baptist Church, for a week.

Miss Vorreeves, of Connecticut, who has been teaching in Albany, Ga., was the guest of the Misses Burkes, of 427 New York Avenue, while en route for her home.

Miss Maud Fleming will visit her sister, Mrs. Mary Fleming Peterson, in Chicago, Ill., very soon.

Mrs. Lucretia Brown, wife of Rev. Thos. J. Brown, Rector of St. Luke's P. E. Church, and infant daughter, Stella, are visiting their relatives in Indianapolis, Indiana, Dr. Furness and wife. Dr. Furness is the elder brother of the present minister resident to Haiti.

The Sunday School of St. Luke's parish enjoyed its annual picnic last Tuesday at the Cathedral grounds.

Miss Josephine Wormley and sister, and Miss Beatrice Ridgely are now on their way to Europe, where they will remain for several months.

As The Bee was about to go to press 200 additional votes was added to Miss Elfrida Kennedy. The content thus far is between Misses Wilson, Chase and Kennedy.

West Washington News.

Children's Day exercises were observed at the Mount Zion M. E. Church, 29th street northwest, on Sunday last. Rev. D. W. Hayes preached a special sermon to the young people at the 11 o'clock service. The Sunday School in the afternoon rendered an interesting program. At the evening service a special sermon and address were delivered to the recent graduates of this section in the public school by Rev. D. W. Hayes, and Mr. Wm. Crusor, President of the Epworth League of the church.

Thanksgiving service of the Grand United Order of Odd Fellows of United Brethren Lodge of Falls Church, Va., was held Sunday afternoon at the M. E. Church of Falls Church, Va. Rev. W. Tyler preached a very instructive sermon to the Order. Mr. Jas. L. Turner, Ex Grand Director of Washington, D. C., deilvered an address, subject "Who are the Odd Fellows." A large delegation of members attended from the Virginia and Washington Lodges. Mr. J. Edward Turner, of Falls Church, Va., was master of ceremonies.

The Bee for sale at their branch office, 2507 P street northwest.

Recorder J. Lincoln Johnson returned to the city last Saturday from his home in Atlanta, Ga.

Mme. Cason's Concert.

The downpour of rain did not prevent a large attendance at the grand concert given Monday evening last by Mme. Gertrude Brown Cason, under the auspices of the Blaine Invincible Republican Club, in the main auditorium of Fisherman's hall, F Street S. W. The program was a good one and commenced with an overture by the Manhattan orchestra. Miss Mattie Bowen was then introduced, and delivered an address on the subject of "Love," which she said was too often sadly wanted in the church, in societies and in the home. She spoke in her usual pleasing vein and was frequently applauded.

Mr. Nathaniel Guy, as "Fra Giacemo" (Buchanan), fully sustained his wide reputation as a finished elocutionist. His interpretation was faultless.

The musical star of the evening was Madame Cason, whose appearance on the stage was the signal of a five minutes' encore. She was most becomingly gowned, and her voice, tuned by nature, and cultivated in the schools of musical art, was simply charming—at times bewildering. She appeared in two numbers and each time was forced to return in response to the hearty encore of the audience.

The piano solos by Miss Jewel Jenifer and Mme. Anna May Garrett were far above those usually heard at concerts, and they are artists of unusual ability.

Mrs. Julia Mason Layton appeared and requested the audience to accept "When Malinda Sings." In lieu of an address, Mr. Thomas Heathman, as "Brer Watkins," was a mirth-provoking, side-splitting, rip-roarous affair and a fitting conclusion to the concert. Much credit is due Messrs. J. R. Cooper, Francis Wells, James Cameron, J. W. Bell and Henry Matthews, the Committee of Management and also to Messrs. James H. Gordon, J. R. Boyd and Albert Brooks, who worked untiringly to make the concert a success.

DEATH CLAIMED HER.

Miss Lillian B. Holmes Dies Suddenly. Solemn Services at Nineteenth Street Baptist Church—A Worthy Young Woman.

The funeral of Miss Lillian B. Holmes, the beloved daughter of Joseph H. and Cecelia B. Holmes, of 525 Twenty-first Street N. W., who suddenly died of acute indigestion at Asbury Park, N. J., Saturday, June 10th, was held at the Nineteenth Street Baptist Church, Tuesday afternoon, June 21st, at 3 o'clock.

The services were conducted by the pastor, Doctor Walter H. Brooks, assisted by visiting Pastors Garner, of the Plymouth Congregational Church, Ricks, of the First Baptist Church, Jasper, of the Brentwood Church and Clair, of Asbury; all of whom were present because of their esteem and admiration of the Christian character of the deceased.

Miss Holmes was just in the prime of life, and her sudden and unexpected demise dealt a shocking blow to her immediate family and a host of admiring and loving friends. Although not permitted to live long, being only thirty-two years of age, hers was a life of service in benefiting humanity by good deeds in the church, in societies and in her own home.

She will best be remembered and mostly missed by the membership and worshipers of the Nineteenth Street Baptist Church, where she held membership for over sixteen years. She attended the Sunday school there from infancy to womanhood, and at her death was a teacher in the Infants' Department. The little ones, whom it was her pleasure and delight to teach, will grow to maturity cherishing a fond memory of her goodly nature. For many years she was a member of the choir, and an untiring worker in the Young Peoples' Christian Endeavor Society. The influence which she exerted upon all with whom she came in contact cannot be over-estimated. Her untiring zeal, absolute devotion to Christian duty and genuine religious sympathy made her an invaluable member of the congregation which she so fitly graced and from which she will be universally missed.

Not only as a church-member was she known, but also as a valuable and loyal member of the orders of St. Luke and the Household of Ruth, Queen of Sheba, Lodge No. 29, G. U. O. F. Her popularity and respectful standing in all of these organizations was clearly shown by the large audience who witnessed her funeral and the splendid resolutions read.

By her death the family has sustained the loss of a loving and devoted member; the church, a faithful, industrious and loyal worker; the societies, an amiable and useful character, and the community a valued and respected citizen.

The Medico-Chirurgical Society.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Medico-Chirurgical Society of the District of Columbia, held at the Medical Building of Howard University June 23rd Dr. H. C. Scurlock presented a paper on "The Purim Bodies with Special Reference to Urea," which was very able and instructive. The following took part in the discussion: Dr. Carson, Dr. J. C. Dowling, Dr. J. H. Johnson, Dr. E. H. Allen, Dr. George W. Cabaniss, Dr. C. H. Marshall, Dr. John W. Mitchell, and Dr. C. W. Childs. After the election of delegates to the N. M. A. the society adjourned for the summer.

THE MOST POPULAR TEACHER.

Those Who Have Been Voted For.

The Bee's popular teachers contest is exciting interest. Cut out a coupon and vote for your favorite. Read the proposition in another column of The Bee. Those who are being voted for are:

Public School Contestants.

Miss Mary Wilson	2,750
Miss Beatriz L. Chase	1,797
Miss Elfrida Kennedy	475
Mr. Robert Mattingly	225
E. Christopher Williams, 6.	
W. Bruce Evans, 50.	
Miss Maud Fleming	25
Miss Anna Coston	25
Miss E. A. Chase, 25.	
Miss Rosa Carter, 18.	
Miss Sarah C. Lewis, 10.	
Miss M. S. Jordon, 10.	
Mr. H. Wythe Lewis	10
J. T. Layton, 10.	
Horace Anderson, 10.	
Miss Minnie A. Lucas	10
Miss Marie Madre	8
Miss Emma McGinnis	8
Miss Minnie A. Lucas, 8.	
Miss Millie Gibbs, 8.	
Miss Katie C. Lewis, 8.	
Miss Emma F. G. Merrill, 7.	
Miss Elizabeth Tancil, 6.	
Mrs. Eva Fletcher, 5.	
Mr. Moria Saunders, 5.	
Miss Mary Quander	5
Miss Lou Washington, 5.	
Miss Harriett Williams, 5.	
Miss Annie Howard, 5.	
Miss Partherine Woodson, 5.	
Miss Emma B. Hall, 5.	
Mr. L. C. Bradley, 5.	
J. W. Cromwell, 5.	
Miss Julia Brandon	5
Miss M. G. Daniels	5
Miss Janie Patterson	5
Miss Eleanor Curtis	5
Mr. Grant Lucus, 5.	
W. T. S. Jackson, 4.	
Miss Susie Quander, 4.	
Miss Janie Cole, 4.	
Miss Louise Cornell	4
Miss Lottie Wallace	4
Miss Nellie Washington	4
Miss Lucy Shaw	4
Miss Emma McGinnis	4
Miss Rosa Stokes	4
Miss Clara Shields	4
Miss Beatrice Ridgely	4
Miss Effie Simmons	4
Miss Adella Parks	4
Miss Beatrice Martin, 4.	
Miss Bessie Miller, 4.	
Miss Eva Watson, 4.	
Miss Louise Wormley	4
Miss Nellie Ford, 4.	
Miss Julia Brooks, 4.	
J. T. Layton, 3.	
Miss Isbella Quander	3
Mr. H. W. Lewis, 3.	
Mr. Roscoe Vaughn, 3.	
Miss Gertrude Tibbs, 3.	
J. C. Nalle, 3.	
Miss Ray Cornish, 3.	
Miss Mamie McGuinn, 3.	
Miss Pearl Lewis, 3.	
Miss Elaine Tancil	3
Miss Ernestine Brent	3
Miss Jennette Wesley	3
Miss Anna Jackson	3
Miss Clara Shippen	3
Miss Natalie Lewis	3
Miss Amanda Mason	3
Miss Beatrice Smith	3
Miss Maywood Mitchell	3
Miss Theresa Lee	3
Miss Mary Cromwell	3
Miss Isabella Saunders	3
Mr. Maurice Clifford, 3.	
Miss C. E. Hunter, 3.	
Miss Serena Carter, 3.	
Miss Florence W. Williams, 2.	
Miss Notala Collier, 2.	
Miss Rachel Cornish, 2.	
Miss Sallie Fisher, 2.	
Miss Marcia Montgomery, 2.	
Miss Lula Davis, 2.	
Miss Marie A. D. Madre, 2.	
Miss Mattie Bowen, 2.	
Miss Amanda Mason	2
Miss Lina E. Jean	2
Miss Lola Johnson	2
Miss Mary Powell	2
Mr. David Green, 2.	
Miss Gertrude Early, 2.	
Miss Emma Carroll, 2.	
Mr. Bernard Keyes, 2.	
Miss Lizzie Clark, 2.	
Mr. Thomas Heathmar., 2.	
Miss Beatrice Johnson	2
Miss Edith Wright	2
Miss Beatrice Richardson	2
Miss Zellaca Wooding	2
Miss Oliva Jones	2
Miss Helen Jones	2
Miss Evelyn Moss	2
Miss Essie Jackson	2
Miss Ellen Lee	2
Miss Bessie Shippen	2
Miss Naomi Lewis	2
Miss Jessie Parks	2
Miss Margaret Merrill	2
Miss Nancy Brown	2
Miss Angeline Grimke	2
J. E. Walker, 1.	
Mrs. M. E. Tucker, 1.	
Miss J. C. Grant, 1.	
Miss M. L. Jordon, 1.	
Miss Agnes Davis, 1.	
Miss Voshta Turley, 1.	
Miss Clotile Houston, 1.	
Miss Dollie Dodson, 1.	
Miss Martha Leggins, 1.	
F. L. Cardoza, 1.	
Miss Alice Jackson, 1.	
Miss Isabell Sidney, 1.	
Miss Harriet Shadd, 1.	
Miss Jevena Campbell, 1.	
Miss Matilda Wheeler, 1.	
Miss Belle Kinner, 1.	
Miss Estelle Collier, 1.	

Howard University Contestants.

W. J. Joiner, 5.	
Kelly Miller, 5.	
Miss Maude Young, 3.	
Miss Maude Childress, 2.	
W. A. Dyson, 3.	
George W. Cook, 3.	
L. B. Moore, 5.	
J. G. Logan, 2.	

HOW TO SPEND YOUR VACATION

SIX WEEK'S Summer SCHOOL

OF

Bible · Study · and · Industrial Arts

WILL BE OPENED WITH

Christian · Patriotic · Services

MON. JULY 4TH

DR. WALTER H. BROOKS, ORATOR
MUSIC BY DR. JAMES T. WALKER
DINNER AT NOON ADDRESS 2 P. M.
MISS NANNIE H. BURROUGHS, PRES.

WE'RE ready to help every one in having the things to make a home comfortable.

If it's a Refrigerator or Porch Furniture, an Iron Bed or Matting, come to us and buy whatever is needed, on an open account.

We arrange terms for each individual customer according to what can be afforded.

It's a convenient and satisfactory way of dealing and you'll find our prices no higher than the best offers of cash stores.

Peter Grogan
and Sons Co.
817-23 7th St. N W

For the June Bride

You like to read. Why not read the best?
The Ladies Home Journal and the Woman s Home Companion
are the very best monthly magazines published. I can save you thirty cents a year on each of these two most popular magazines in America
Subscription Price $1.50 per year
Drop a postal card to my address or phone and I will call. Miss Fannie I. Hays
Phone W. 1468. 2902 O Street, N. W.

A NEW DAIRY LUNCH ROOM
Steele's Dairy Lunch Room
1900 L Street Northwest
ICE — CREAM — AND — FRUITS
Open from 7 A. M. to 1 P. M.
Geo. Steele, Mgr.

Brodt's
419 ELEVENTH STREET NORTHWEST.
503 NINTH STREET N. W.
WASHINGTON, D. C.
WASHINGTON'S LEADING HATTERS.
THIS IS THE LEADING HAT FIRM IN THE CITY. HATS OF ALL STYLES MAY BE FOUND AT EITHER

Death of an Old Citizen.

Henry Freeman, a native of this city, and father of Dr. Freeman and Mrs. Booth, died Tuesday at his new residence, 13th and T streets northwest. Mr. Freeman had but recently taken possession of his new and palatial residence. He had large family connections in this city and his death is deeply and sincerely lamented.

Where to Buy The Bee.

Dr. Singleton's drug store, 20th and E Street N. W.
Joseph Davis, 1020 U Street N. W.
Steele's Dairy Lunch Room, 1900 L Street N. W.

FOR RENT—FLATS.

Four-room flat, with bath. Q street, between New Jersey avenue and 5th street northwest. First-class condition. For man and wife or small family. Rent moderate. By Thomas Walker, 506 5th st. N. W.

FOR RENT.

Three-room flat; Brightwood avenue, just above Howard avenue.; with bath; for small family. Rent moderate. By Thomas Walker, 506 5th st. N. W.

The Bee is the peoples Forum and the races Advocate.

Read The Bee.

Country Board

Boarders wanted for the summer, at Metropolitan Grove, Gaithersburg, Md., good place, good water and board. Terms moderate; opens June 1, 1910. For further information address Mrs. Dora Dorsey, Metropolitan Grove, Gaithersburg, Md.

Summer Boarders

We will take a few boarders at our usual low rates this summer. Particulars address,
Silcott Springs, Virginia.
Mrs. Susan Webb

THE HOTEL LINCOLN
Nos. 22 and 24 Lincoln Avenue
LONG ISLAND

The ideal place to spend your vacation holidays, or Saturday and Sunday. Delightfully located, one block from ocean, thoroughly up-to-date in equipments and operations, also cruising, boating, bathing and fishing. Write for description, booklets and full information. Address all mail to,
E. I. DORSEY,
or R. C. PARKER, props.,
138 West 53rd St., New York City.
Also: **24 Lincoln Ave. Rockaway Beach, Long Island.**
How to reach the hotel: Take any Rockaway Beach train to Hanniels Station. Will open June 15 to Sept. 15. (Telephone Connection.)

Potomac Sign Co
Show-Cards, General House and Sign Painting, Etc.
Excursion Signs, Cotton or Oil-Cloth
New Ideas for 1910 Our Specialty.
110 4 1-2 STREET N. W.

First class work. Fair prices.
THOS H. ROBINSON
SIGN PAINTER & DECORATOR
513 F Street Southwest
Washington, D. C.

PURCHASE A HOME.

Elsewhere in The Bee will be seen the advertisement of Mr. W. G. White, who offers to the people a house and lot by the payment of $50 and $15 per month. Why pay rent when you can own your own home today? Now is the time to own a home. Look! These houses are beautifully located. Just think of the price—$50 down and $15 dollars per month! Read particulars elsewhere.

Lincoln Memorial Building Co.

CAPITAL, $400,000

WASHINGTON, D. C.

FIRST OFFERING

$100,000 OF STOCK AT PAR

$10.00 PER SHARE

To be paid for on the Easy Payment Plan

This is of importance to YOU and and every Negro in the land!

Why?

Because

It advances the interest of the Negro race.
It affords the individual a safe and sure investment.
It opens up new channels of enterprise.
It presents the Negro in his true light before the eyes of the world.

OFFICERS AND DIRECTORS

W. SIDNEY PITTMAN, President.
Architect
Washington, D. C.

DR. SAMUEL G. ELBERT, 1st V.-Pres.
Physician
Wilmington, Del.

SAMUEL W. RUTHERFORD, 2d V.-Pres.
Manager National Benefit Association
Washington, D. C.

GEORGE F. COLLINS, Counsel
Attorney
Washington, D. C.

DR. CHAS. H. MARSHALL, Treasurer
Physician
Washington, D. C.

WILLIAM A. BOWIE, Secretary
Secretary Laborers' Building and Loan Ass'n
Washington, D. C.

DR. L. H. SINGLETON, Auditor
Pharmacist
Washington, D. C.

J. L. FORBES
Real Estate and Loans
Norfolk, Va.

S. H. BOLLING
Contractor and Builder
Lynchburg, Va.

GEORGE W. ROBINSON
Merchant
Washington, D. C.

JOHN W. LEWIS
President Laborers' Building and Loan Ass'n
Washington, D. C.

ADVISORY BOARD

George W. Robinson.....Chairman

Dr. Wm. L. Board	Washington, D. C.	Robert Mattingly	Washington, D. C.
Hon. John C. Dancy	Washington, D. C.	R. H. Merchant	Lynchburg, Va.
R. E. Frazier	Pittsburg, Pa.	Zeph. R. Moore	Washington, D. C.
Henry Forrest	Washington, D. C.	Dr. J. W. Morse	Washington, D. C.
B. F. Hailstorks	Washington, D. C.	J. W. Nimocks	Meridian, Miss.
L. R. Hendersen	Hampton, Va.	E. W. Pearson	Asheville, N. C.
Thomas L. Jones	Washington, D. C.	F. A. Roman	Washington, D. C.
Dr. W. W. Jones	Deanwood, D. C.	R. W. Thompson	Washington, D. C.
Joseph N. Lawson	Washington, D. C.	Wm. H. Watts	Washington, D. C.
J. Henry Lewis	Washington, D. C.	W. R. Williams	Washington, D. C.

IT IS THE NEW EMANCIPATION PROCLAMATION

WASHINGTON IS THE SEAT OF OUR NATION'S GOVERNMENT.

The eyes of the world are on Washington..

One-third of Washington's population is Negro.

If all the Negroes in Washington were colonized in one place they would make a city larger than Richmond, Virginia.

There are seven theatres in Washington, supported by a white population of 241,923—and a few foolish Negroes willing to be colonized in the galleries, the only place to which the Negro is admitted.

THERE IS NOT A SINGLE FIRST-CLASS OFFICE BUILDING in the city of Washington, where a colored professional or business man or woman, and there are hundreds of them in the National Capital, can obtain business quarters.

JUST THINK OF IT! 100,000 enterprising, thrifty, intelligent people, through race prejudice, swept completely out of the business district of Washington; 100,000 genteel, prosperous, amusement loving people deprived of every form of theatrical entertainment unless willing to submit to the most humiliating conditions.

Every colored man and woman IN Washington.

Every colored man and woman VISITING Washington.

Every colored man and woman in America, familiar with the true state of the Negro in Washington, realizes that a theatre, store, and office building, operated by the Negroes, for the Negroes, is A NECESSITY.

The welfare of the race demands it.

The self-respect of the race demands it.

Any enterprise resting its hope of success upon a NECESSITY is bound to be a SUCCESS.

A THEATRE AND OFFICE BUILDING IN THE CITY OF WASHINGTON, built by Negroes, for the use of Negroes, is a NECESSITY.

Appreciating to the utmost that fact—

THE LINCOLN MEMORIAL BUILDING COMPANY proposes to erect in the Central Business District of the city of Washington a magnificent theatre, seating capacity 2,500, and a store and office building of splendid proportion, adequate in every respect to meet the requirements of prosperous professional and business men.

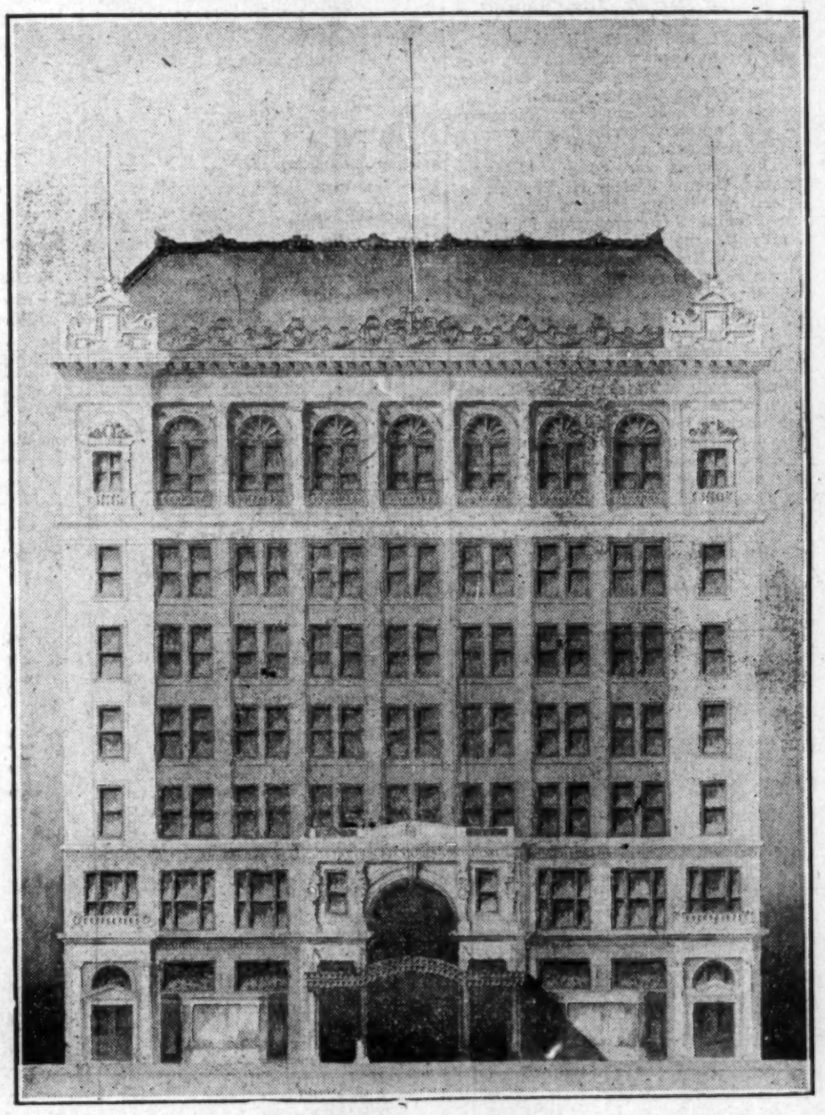
The enterprise is exceptional in two respects:

First—It is absolutely safe.

Second—It promises enormous possibilities as a money maker.

Features that must appeal to every man or woman with a few dollars to invest, and you are such a man or woman or you would not have read this far.

THE LINCOLN MEMORIAL BUILDING COMPANY has surveyed the field carefully, and it KNOWS that hundreds of tenants are available for the offices, that dozens of merchants are ready to rent the stores, and that 100,000 people are anxious to patronize the theatre exclusively, and make it the best paying amusement place in America.



Proposed Front Elevation
LINCOLN MEMORIAL OFFICE AND THEATRE BUILDING
WASHINGTON, D. C.

IT KNOWS ALL THIS AND IT INVITES YOU TO PARTICIPATE in an enterprise ABSOLUTELY DEVOID OF RISK, where every dollar will be invested in the best of Washington Real Estate, that increases in value annually at the rate of 5⅝ per cent—nearly DOUBLE bank interest.

Even that is good enough for most people, but the LINCOLN MEMORIAL BUILDING COMPANY will do better than that. It will have offices and stores and lodge rooms, which will earn, on a conservative estimate, at least $23,200 per year. Equal to 5 9-10 per cent per annum.

It will also have a theatre, which, if patronized at prices ranging from 10 to 50 cents, by only 1 per cent of the total colored population of the city of Washington, will enable the Company to pay 15 per cent on its total capitalization. Equal in all to 20 9-10 per cent, to which may be added the land value increase of 5⅝ per cent.

Now, all this is Conservatively Estimated.

Banks and Insurance Companies engage in enterprises like this with their depositors' and policyholders' money—YOUR money, but YOU get only about 3 or 3½ per cent. The banks or insurance companies keep the balance.

THE LINCOLN MEMORIAL BUILDING COMPANY is ENTIRELY NEGRO.

Not one dollar of white capital will be accepted in exchange for its securities.

There is not one dollar of Promotion Stock, consequently there is no watered stock.

Every holder of stock from the President down must pay at LEAST $10.00 per share for every share of stock allotted to him.

This does not mean that the price of stock will REMAIN at $10.00 per share. It is $10.00 NOW. It will advance in price far beyond $10.00, just as railroad and public utility stock goes to several times par. So will the Lincoln Memorial Building Company's stock go to several times its present value.

This means that a share of stock costing $10.00 NOW will be worth $40.00 when stock goes to four times par. Estimates show that the Company's earnings will be 20 per cent, and that is four times par, with every dollar invested in Real Estate. THE BEST in the city of Washington, where values are as firmly fixed as the Rock of Gibraltar.

This does not mean that the price of stock will remain at $10.00 per share. It is $10.00 NOW. If the Company, as it is estimated, pays 20 per cent, a $10.00 share of stock will be worth $40.00. If it pays 40 per cent, a single share of $10.00 stock will be worth $80.00. Just as railroads and public utility stocks increase in value, so will the Lincoln Memorial Building Company's stock increase in price.

The first allotment of stock at $10.00 a share is being rapidly subscribed, and the next allotment will be $12.50 per share, to which point it will soon be advanced; therefore, you are urged to avail yourself of the present opportunity to get in as completely on the ground floor as any one of the Company's Directors are.

The Company's Directors, by the way, are men of sterling worth, integrity and honor, as you are possibly aware, or can easily ascertain through any COMMERCIAL AGENCY.

Their names are at the top of this page. They have unbounded faith in the future of the Company. They have invested THEIR hard earned money in it, and they advise you to invest YOUR money side by side with theirs.

DON'T WAIT UNTIL IT IS TOO LATE.

The price of stock is $10.00 per share, payable $1.00 down and $1.00 per month for nine months upon each share subscribed for.

DO IT NOW.

Before you lay this paper down cut out the coupon on the lefthand corner of this page and mail to-day, with remittance for first payment, if for but one share of stock.

We shall be glad at all times to give you any further information desired, and again invite you to join us in this enterprise.

Very truly yours,

LINCOLN MEMORIAL BUILDING COMPANY,

494 Louisiana Ave., Washington, D. C.

Tear off and mail with your remittance for First Payment

Lincoln Memorial Building Company, 494 Louisiana Ave., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

Find inclosed.....dollars as first payment on.....shares of stock in the Lincoln Memorial Building Company, upon the following terms and conditions:

First. That the price at which I purchase this stock is ten dollars per share.

Second. That the stock issued to me shall be fully paid and non-assessable.

Third. That if purchased on deferred payments that the first payment shall not be less than 10 per cent of the purchase price.

Fourth. That my contract of purchase will be issued to me for the number of shares applied for upon my first payment.

Name.....

Street.....City.....State.....

Tear off and mail for Free Prospectus

Lincoln Memorial Building Company,
494 Louisiana Ave., Washington, D. C.

Gentlemen:

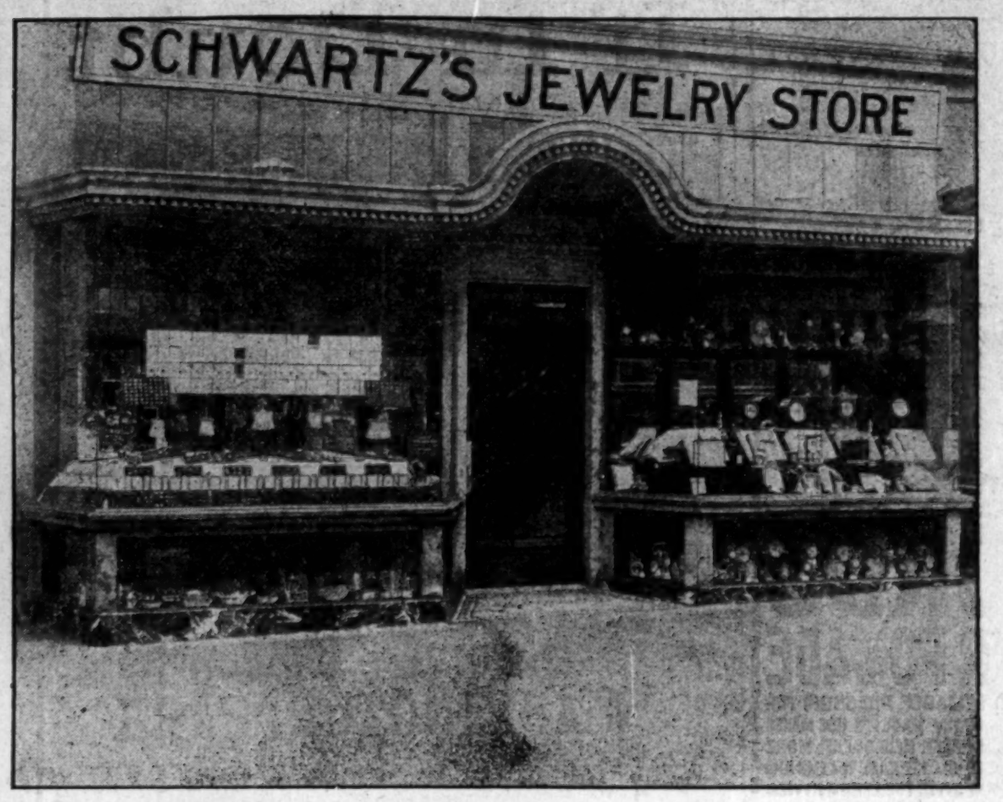
I have read your advertisement and desire further information regarding the Lincoln Memorial Building Company.

Please send me by return mail, free of charge, prospectus of the Lincoln Memorial Building Company. It is understood that there is no obligation on my part whatsoever.

Name.....

Street.....

City.....State.....



JEWELRY REMADE

BRING YOUR OLD RINGS, BROOCHES, PINS, WATCHES AND OTHER JELRY HERE FOR REPAIRS. WE MAKE OTHER JEWELRY, DO ALL KINDS OF REPAIR WORK AND CHARGE THE LOWEST PRICES FOR FIRST CLASS WORKMANSHIP.

YOUR EYES NEED GLASSES

IF YOU HAVE HEADACHES, PAIN IN THE EYES OR IF YOU CAN'T SEE TO READ WELL.

OUR OPTICIAN WILL EXAMINE YOUR EYES FREE AND TELL YOU WHAT'S THE TROUBLE.

SPECTACLES AND EYEGLASSES FROM $1 UP.

JEWELRY—DIAMONDS—SILVERWARE

ANNOUNOUNCEMENT

LIBERAL CREDIT TO ALL

IN ORDER TO ASSIST OUR CUSTOMERS IN EVERY WAY, SCHWARTZ, "THE POPULAR JEWELER" WILL BE PLEASED TO SELL YOU ANY ARTICLES YOU MAY SELECT ON CREDIT TERMS THAT WILL MEET YOUR APPROVAL.

WE WANT YOU TO FEEL FREE TO COME TO OUR STORE AND BUY WHAT YOU WANT WITH THE ASSURANCE THAT YOU WILL GET THE BEST VALUES AT THE SMALLEST PRICES ON A LIBERAL BASIS.

EXPERT WATCH REPAIRING, 30 YEARS' EXPERIENCE. OUR WATCH-INSURANCE IS A GREAT FEATURE, SET-INS EXPLAIN THE PLAN. WE ALSO HAVE AN OPTICAL DEPARTMENT THAT GUARANTEES SATISFACTION. EYES EXAMINED FREE.

824 7th St. Northwest

James H Winslow

UNDERTAKER AND EMBLAMER,

ALL WORK FIRST CLASS. TERMS MOST REASONABLE

TWELFTH AND R STREETS, N. W.

James H. Dabney

FUNERAL DIRECTOR..

Hiring, Livery and Sale Stable.

Carriages hired for funerals, parties, balls, receptions, etc.

Horses and carriages kept in first-class style. Satisfaction guaranteed. Business at 1132 Third street northwest. Main office branch at 222 More street, Alexandria, Va.

Telephone for Office, Main 1727.

Telephone call for Stable, Main 1428-5.

OUR STABLES IN FREEMAN'S ALLEY,

Where I can accommodate 50 Horses.

Call and inspect our new and modern stable.

J. H. DABNEY, Prop., 1132 Third Street N. W.

Phone, Main 3200. Carriages for Hire.

W. Sidney Pittman Architect

RENDERING IN DUOTONE, WATER COLOR AND PEN & INK

PATENT DRAWING, DRAFTING, DETAILING, TRACING, BLUE PRINTING

STEEL CONSTRUCTION A SPECIALTY.

Phone: Main 6059—M. Office 494 Louisiana Ave., N.W.

SCHWARTZ.

Attention is called to the advertisement of Schwartz, jeweler and optician, 824 Seventh street northwest, in this issue of The Bee. This is one of the best and most thorough jewelry store in this city. Everything in this store is first class in every detail. Your eyeglasses are fitted, your eyes examined, and the very best material is used in the construction of your glasses. Satisfaction is guaranteed in everything that is sold, or your money refunded. He is a friend of the race, and you won't regret dealing in this store. It is what you are doing and going to do. There is more pleasure in saying "I just bought a suburban home site and expect soon to have a home of my own where I can enjoy fresh air, sunshine, pure water, flowers, a lawn and garden.

In another column of The Bee is offered a splendid opportunity to start a home in Bloomburg Park. D. C.

by Revs. Ray, W. J. Howard, Mathews and Severson. He leaves a widow and a daughter.

The remains of Bro. Fred. B. Perce was buried from St. Pauls' A. M. E. Church, 8th street southwest, Sunday, June 19, at 1 o'clock p. m. He departed this life at Garfield Hospital, Thursday, June 16.

The religious service was conducted by Rev. Young, Pastor in charge.

Social Lodge No. 1 had charge of his remains, of which he had been a member for some time. He also formerly was a member of St. Johns Chapter No. 7, R. A. M.

O. E. S.

The Queen Esther Chapter No. 1 has taken recess until September.

H. of J.

Sometime ago the Zerrabable Court No. 1 appointed a committee consisting of Sisters A. B. Thomas, Anna Whiting Henderson to visit the several courts of the H. of J. and the chapters of the order of the Eastern Star to solicit contributions to help in erecting a suitable stone over the remains of Late Sir T. A. Jackson.

All the courts and chapters having donated $5 each toward the same, which will be erected sometime in the near future. Sir T. A. Jackson was the organizer, and introducer of the order of the Eastern Star and the First Grand Patron, and also held position as Worthy Joshua for a number of years until his death of Zerrubable.

That the old reliable Bee continues to publish all the news, and be regarded as the only newspaper pubcemetery.

Ah! just think, a free trip to Atlantic City for three of the most popular teachers. Wonder who the lucky ones will be?

READ THE BEE.

Blue Lodge.

The Masonic fraternity of this jurisdiction was visited twice this past week by the Great Reaper, Death.

The funeral services over the remains of Bro. Robert J. Gilchrist, who departed this lite on Tuesday, June 14, 1910, was held from Friendship Baptist Church, Friday, June 17, under auspices of Charles Datcher Lodge No. 15. Rev. Wilbanks conducted the religious services, assisted

Southern Medicine Co
Atlanta, Ga.

Gentlemen:

I wish to say that my hair was only about three inches long and so kinky, stiff and harsh I could not manage it at all, but after using two jars of your Her-true-line I have as pretty suit of hair as any lady in Atlanta. I wish every one with curly or kinky hair knew of this wonderful Her-true-line.

Yours respectfully,
Miss Lovie Mayes.

Her-Tru-Line

FOR THE HAIR

— HER - TRU - LINE

The Great Hair Grower

"Her-Tru-Line" stimulates the growth of the hair, it takes out the curl and leaves the scalp in a clean and healthy condition.

"Her-Tru-Line" cures dandruff, ringworm and scalp tetter.

"Her - Tru - Line" is delightful as a dressing for the hair, being perfectly harmless. It is a true luxury and a valuable addition to toilet accessories.

Large jar 50 cents at all drug stores and by our special agents. Sample box mailed to any address on receipt of five two-cent stamps.

sell this wonderful HAIR GROWER.

Southern Medicine Company

Box 754 Atlanta, Ga.

THE MAGIC IS TWO TIMES LARGER THAN PICTURE-IT IS 9 IN. LONG
STEEL HEATING BAR
ALUMINUM COMB
THE MAGIC SHAMPOO DRIER AND HAIR-STRAIGHTENER.

MAILED ANYWHERE IN U.S. $1.00 POSTAGE PAID. SEND MONEY BY POST OFFICE MONEY ORDER.

LADIES LOOK!

Every lady can have a beautiful and luxuriant head of hair if she uses a MAGIC. After a shampoo or bath the Magic dries the hair, removing the dandruff; and it will straighten the curliest head of hair.

The Magic will not burn or injure the hair, because the comb is never heated. The steel heating bar which irons the hair, is alone, put into the flame of the alcohol or gas heater.

The Aluminum Comb is easily detached from the heating bar, then, after the bar is heated the comb goes back into place and is held by a turn of the handle.

The Magic Heater is also suitable for curling irons, has a cover and can be carried in a hand bag. Magic Shampoo Drier $1.00. Magic Alcohol Heater $0.50. Liberal terms to agents. Write for literature today.

Magic Shampoo Drier Co, Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Is Your Hair Beautiful

Soft, Silky and Long?

Does it comb easily without breaking?
Is it straight?
Does it smooth out nicely?
Can you do it up in any of the charming styles, so it will stay, and make you proud of it?
Is it long and full of life?
If you cannot say YES to all of the above questions, then you need

Nelson's Hair Dressing

NELSON'S HAIR DRESSING is the finest hair pomade on the face of the earth for colored people. It makes your hair grow fast; it makes stubborn, kinky and tangled hair as soft and supple as silk. It makes it healthy, it keeps it from splitting or breaking off. It makes it rich and gives it that charm so longed for by all true ladies.

Use Nelson's Hair Dressing and you'll never have dandruff.

Your head will keep clean. The roots of your hair will have the necessary amount of oil. You will never have scalp disease. You will be delighted with its delicate perfume.

Nelson's Hair Dressing is put up in handsome four-ounce square tin boxes, like the lady holds in her hand. Druggists and agents everywhere sell it at 25 cents a box. If you can't get it, send us 30 cents and we will mail you a full size box postpaid. Go and buy it now, or sit right down and write us. Address

NELSON MANUFACTURING CO., Richmond, Va.

Live Agents Wanted. Write Quick for Terms.

ANCIENT MEXICAN CHURCH

Here First Clearing-House Certificates Were Issued and First Counterfeiting Was Done.

City of Mexico.—The ancient Church of Landin, one mile west of Saltillo, Mexico, is fast crumbling to ruins. It has a history that is in some respects the most remarkable of any church edifice on the continent. It was erected in 1532 by a devout priest of the Roman Catholic church, who was sent among the Indians of Spain's new possessions to convert them to the religion which had been brought across the sea by Cortez and his followers. The priest soon surrounded

Ruins of Church of Landin in Mexico.

the church with a colony of Spaniards and Indians. They went through a period of great privation on account of crop failures and the losses of their live stock by an epidemic of disease. A store of food supplies was sent to their relief from the City of Mexico, and the priest received permission direct from the king of Spain to establish a crude mint for coining copper money for the relief of the financial condition of the colony.

These coins were cut in triangular shape and were issued to the Indians and members of the colony with the promise that they would be redeemed, coin for coin, by the government when the settlement became prosperous.

These copper pieces were perhaps the first clearing-house certificates ever issued.

The Indians, however, brought the financial relief scheme to a sudden end by counterfeiting great numbers of the copper pieces, which they presented for redemption. The priest became alarmed at the unlawful inflation of his circulating medium and fled from the country to avoid possible punishment at the hands of the government.

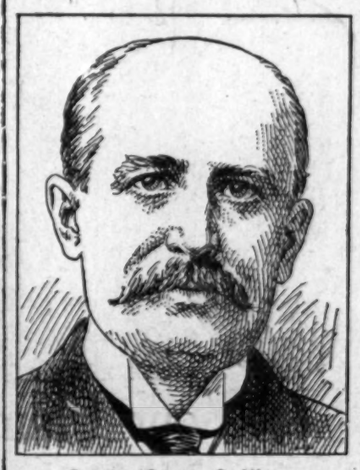
In after years the parish of this ancient church established a copper smelter and engaged in mining and smelting copper ore on a large scale. The slag pile of this ancient smelter was found not far from the church a few years ago and the smelter at Saltillo bought and treated the slag at a good profit.

An American contractor who built a railroad near the church made the owner of the property an offer of $1,000 for the corner-stone in the building. It is said to contain ancient relics of almost priceless value. The offer was refused. At present the interior of this church is used as a corral for goats.

RETIRES FROM ACTIVE WORK

Senator Nixon of Nevada Disposes of Vast Mining Interests in the West.

Washington.—Senator George S. Nixon of Nevada, said to be worth $20,000,000, has disposed of his vast mining interests in the west and has retired from active mining operations. Senator Nixon began life as a telegraph operator. He served as a member of the Nevada legislature in 1897 and was elected to the United States senate in 1905. His term of office will expire March 3, 1911. He recently completed the handsomest home in Nevada, costing $500,000. He was prominently connected with the tariff bill passed at the recent special session of congress.



Senator George S. Nixon.

Saving the North Woods.

It will be a great satisfaction to those who are fighting for the preservation of the Adirondack forests to learn that the first two of the oil-burning locomotives to be used have proved signal successes. The only complaint against them is based upon the rapidity with which oil makes steam, but this is hardly a serious difficulty. If this reform can reduce the number of fires by 30 per cent. as is expected, it will prove the most effective means yet devised to prevent the devastation of the north woods by flames.—Troy (N. Y.) Record.

We Must Work Together

"It has often been said that the negro was 'the white man's burden.' Rather it should be recognized that the negro is the co-laborer with the white man, in trying to make the country stronger." Ex-Governor Glenn, of North Carolina.

We must work together if we'd be a nation strong,
Each must try to do his duty, help the right, eschew the wrong;
We must fight each other's battles, listen to each other's call,
We must work together white and colored, one and all.

We must work together, every man must do his part,
Matters not what race or color, each must have a willing heart;
Each must give to each a "Square deal," stick together, stand or fall
We must work together, white and colored, one and all.

We must work together, hand and hand thru thick and thin,
There's no time to quarrel or wrangle, if we would the victory win;
Life's too short to fight each other on this old terrestrial ball,
We must work together, white and colored, one and all.

We must work together, live in union, peace and love
Faith and work and brain and muscle will the greatest mountains move;
Prejudice, unjust oppression, make the strongest nation fall,
We must work together, white and colored, one and all.

We must work together, all must strive to do their best,
Matters not what creed or color, north or south or east or west;
They who stand for truth and justice must not, will not, cannot fall,
We must work together, white and colored, one and all.

—James Conway Jackson.

Death of Miss Ida Countee.

The sad death of Miss Ida S. Countee, one of the teachers in the public schools, whose residence was 216 D St. S. W., and which occurred Friday, June 3, robs the southwest section of the city of one of its popular feminine citizens. She had been in bad health for several years, during which time she was a sufferer, and had recently gotten so much worse that she was forced to remain home and was afterward compelled to retire to her bed which she never left alive.

Miss Countee was one of those young ladies who possessed that amount of sunshine that compelled every one with whom she came in

She was born and reared in South Washington, receivng her early education in the public and high schools of the District of Columbia. She was appointed a teacher in the public schools several years ago, promoted from time to time, and was teaching the eighth grade at the time of her death. She was a faithful worker in the church and Sunday School, and other local departments of the church. She was also a member and faithful worker in other organizations. She was formerly the recording secretary of the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society, which position she held until ill health compelled her to resign; was secretary of the society known as "The Young Ladies," and also others. The funeral, which took place Tuesday, June 7th, from the Met. A. M. E. Z. Church, D St. between 2nd and 3rd Sts. S. W., of which she was a member, was the largest held from that church for several years. Long before the funeral procession arrived the big church was taxed to her utmost capacity with societies, school children, and friends of the deceased. Among those societies who turned out to pay the last tribute of respect, was, the Blaine Invincible Auxiliary, the Young Ladies, and the Woman's Home and Foreign Missionary Society of the above church. The floral tributes were of the largest variety of recent date, coming from various organizations and personal friends they almost hid the rostrum from view. Rev. W. A. Ray, the pastor, preached a most powerful sermon, in which he carefully reviewed the useful life of the deceased and urged others to follow her.

Other speakers were Rev. P. A. Wallace, formerly the pastor of the church, and Rev. W. J. Howard, pastor of Zion Baptist Church.

Interment was at Paines. She leaves a father, many sisters and brothers, and a host of friends to mourn her loss.

Grand Secretary James Field Needham, of Philadelphia, passed through this city en route to Richmond, Va.

Mr. Wm. Haynes, of the Internal Revenue Bureau, Treasury Department, has recently been promoted to a clerkship of class 4, which is a well merited promotion.

In a New Home.

Mr. Robert Campbell, who has conducted an undertaker's establishment with much success at 340 F street S. W., has moved to his new home, 348 Second street S. W., Makinsey Scott's old place. This place has been remodeled and modern improvements added, which makes it one of the best undertaking places in the city. Mr. Campbell has spared no pains or expense to make this his new home attractive and convenient in every way. He has built a new stable in the rear of his house, equipped with elevators and telephone connections There are four telephones, two in the stable and two in the house. So it can be seen that this young business man, who has been so successful in this particular line, is fully prepared to give the public quick and satisfactory service. Robert Campbell's success is an example and an inspiration to the young colored man in Washington who is willing to work for success.

Votes, votes, votes, for teachers, teachers, teachers, keeps us busy,

LEGAL NOTICES.

JOSEPH H. STEWART, ATTORNEY.
Supreme Court of the District of Columbia,
Holding Probate Court.
No. 16,959, Administration.

This is to Give Notice:

That the subscriber of the State of Massachusetts has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, Letters testamentary of the estate of Mary E. Lane, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber, on or before the 24th day of May, A. D., 1911; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 26th day of May, 1910.

FRANCIS T. BOWLES,
148 Marlborough Street,
Boston, Mass.

Attest:
JAMES TANNER.
Register of Wills for the District of Columbia,
Clerk of the Probate Court.

W. C. MARTIN, ATTORNEY.
Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, Holding Probate Court.
No. 16996, Administration.

This is to give notice:

That the subscriber, of the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, letters of administration on the estate of John W. Carter, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 12th day of May, A. D. 1911; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 7th day of June, 1910.

SUSAN JOHNSON,
910 20th St. N. W.

Attest:
JAMES TANNER,
Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court.

KING AND BIRD, ATTORNEYS.
Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, Holding Probate Court.
No. 17093, Administration.

This is to give notice:

That the subscriber, of the District of Columbia, has obtained from the Probate Court of the District of Columbia, letters testamentary on the estate of Samuel T. Adams, late of the District of Columbia, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers thereof, legally authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 7th day of May, A. D. 1911; otherwise they may by law be excluded from all benefit of said estate.

Given under my hand this 7th day of June, 1910.

L. MELENDEZ KING,
609 F St. N. W.

Attest:
JAMES TANNER,
Register of Wills for the District of Columbia, Clerk of the Probate Court.

PARTITION SALE.

THOMAS WALKER, ATTORNEY IN SUPREME COURT OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Jacob H. Posey, et al, vs. Bunyon B. Posey, et al; No. 29,372, Equity Doc. 64.

The object of this suit is the partition by sale of lot Ten (10), Section Seven (7); lot Twenty-three (23), Section Five (5); lot Twenty-four (24), Section One (1); lot Sixteen (16), Section Two (2), and that part of lot Two (2), Section Four (4), of which the late Lawrence O. Posey died seized, all in the Barry Farm subdivision; lots Forty-three (43) and Forty-four (44) in G. E. Emmons' subdivision of part of Chichester now called Garfield, and all those parts of a tract of land called Robert's Choice, being part of a lot purchased by Kitty Savoy (now deceased) of T. H. Bowen, the 16th day of September, 1846, of which the late Lawrence O. Posey died seized; all of the aforementioned real estate being situate in the County of Washington, District of Columbia, and being fully and accurately described in the Original Bill of Complaint filed in this cause.

On motion of the complainants, it is this 27th day of June, 1910, ordered that the defendants Bunyon B. Posey, Annie L. Frazier, Frances Simons, Priesta Posey, Belle Posey, Redick Posey, Sarah E. Moore, Daniel Posey, Leonora Adams, George Dunbar, Charles Dunbar, Dorsey Dunbar, Edward Dunbar, Della Stroman, Alwillie Knight, Lillie Knight and Bell Knight, cause their appearance to be entered herein on or before the fortieth day, exclusive of Sundays and legal holidays, occurring after the day of the first publication of this order; otherwise the cause will be proceeded with as in case of default. Provided a copy of this order be published once a week for three successive weeks in the Washington Law Reporter, a nd the Washington Bee before said day.

THOS. H. ANDERSON,
Justice.

Attest:
J. R. YOUNG, Clerk.
By W. F. Lemon, Asst. Clerk.

GIVEN OBJECT LESSON.

Mrs. Anna J. Cooper's Address Before Bible College.

The story of an aged colored woman who always bowed her head when the name of Satan was mentioned, and who explained that it always pays to be polite, "as we never know into whose hands we may fall," was employed as an object lesson by Mrs. Anna J. Cooper last evening. Mrs. Cooper addressed the members of the Interdenominational Bible College at the yesper service in the Vermont Avenue Baptist Church. Her subject was "Proper Conduct in Public Places." She said politeness is the first requisite to making friendship, and that proper behavior always indicates good breeding.

The opinion was expressed by Judge M. W. Gibbs, of Little Rock, Ark., that the negro youth are not making the best use of their opportunities for making friends of the white race, because they are not at all times as polite as they should be.

Other speakers were Mrs. Rosetta E. Lawson, president of the Mothers' Club; Prof. H. M. Joseph and Rev. Sterling N. Brown, who declared that deference to women is the stamp of a true gentleman.—Evening Star.

J. Pierpont Morgan and Gov. Charles Hughes, of New York, was given honorary degrees by Harvard University.

Easy Monthly Payments

EASIER THAN PAYING RENT AND FAR MORE SATISFACTORY

$50 CASH AND $15 Per Month BUYS this Beautiful Home

Smaller houses sold on smaller monthly payments.

$50 CASH, AND $15 Per Month BUYS this Beautiful Home

Smaller houses sold on smaller monthly payments.

COMFORTABLE SUBURBAN HOMES FOR COLORED PEOPLE

AT HAMPTON PARK, Adjoining Kenilworth, D. C.

Built from Your Own Plans and Sold on Easy Monthly Payments

Public Schools, Churches, Lodges and Two Street Car Lines Within 2 Minutes' Walk of the Property.

30 Minutes one fare to Treasury

Soil is excellent. Enough vegetables, chickens, etc., may be grown, with little labor, to supply your table. Every lot will probably be sold before some investors make up their minds to buy, though their good judgment prompts them to buy now.

To reach Hampton Park: Take the H street car; transfer at 15th and H streets northeast to the Kenilworth car, and get off at the first brick house in Kenilworth (M street) and walk 3 blocks east to Hampton Park, D. C.

For further particulars, see or write

W. G. WHITE, Sales Agent, 913 9th Street N. W.

On the Grounds at Hampton Park All Day Sunday.

In case of death, a bunch of Rent Receipts is a poor heritage. It is therefore your duty to your family to OWN YO UHOME.

No Interest and No Taxes. Free Deed in Case of Death.

BE INDEPENDENT.

A Man Cannot be Independent and Live in a Rented House.

W. G. WHITE,
913 9th street northwest,
Washington, D. C.

Please have your salesman call and explain your offer more fully. It is understood that I am under no obligation to buy.

Name.....

Address.....

Date.....

CLEAR TITLE GUARNTEED

Southern Beauty Culture School

Formerly of 1730 14th St. N. W.

Hereby announces ITS REOPENING AT 1510 14TH, N. W

This school is open for the benefit of young colored women and teaches beauty culture in all its branches. It has graduated a host of young ladies in this and other cities who are skilled operators.

M RS LUCIE RPOLLARD, PRES

Columbia Ice Company

Wholesale and Retail Ice Dealers
Families a specialty
22 5 cent ice tickets sold in $5.00 lots; 21 5 cent ice tickets sold $1.00. Delivered at your house.
Office 10th Street Wharf.

Phone Main 272.

John E. McGau, President and Gen'l Manager.

Joseph Peake, Secretary and Treas.

Is Your Hair Short?

Breaking Off, Thin or Falling Out?

Have you Tetter Eczema? Does yonr Scalp Itch? Have you More than a Normal Amount of Dandruff?

If so write for MME. C. J. WALKER'S WONDERFUL HAIR GROWER which Postively cures all Scalp Diseases, Stops the Hair from Falling out and Starts it at once to Growing.

These Remedies are Manufactured only by THE WALKER MFG. CO. 638 N. WEST ST. INDIANAPOLIS, IND.

A Six Weeks' Trial Treatment sent to any Address by Mail for $1.70 Make all Money Orders Payable to Mme. C. J. Walker. Send Stamps for Replies. AGENTS WANTED. Write for Terms to Agents.

Christian Xander's OLD RESERVE RYE

EIGHT YEARS OLD

One of the 18 sthadards in stock. Excellent in quality and of mellow taste. $1 full qt., fifty c. pt. Only at the

FAMILY QUALITY HOUSE

909 7th St Phone M. 274 NoBranch Houses

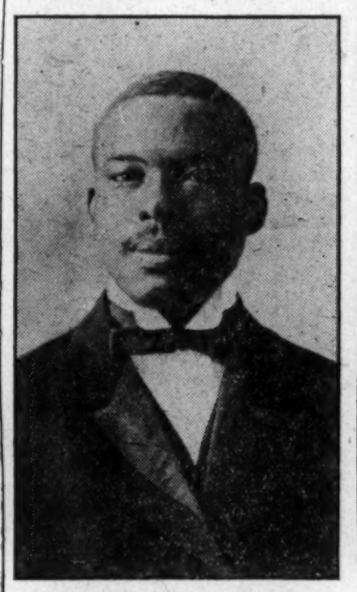
FORD'S HAIR POMADE

THE OLD RELIABLE DRESSING FOR KINKY OR CURLY HAIR. IT'S USE MAKES STUBBORN, HARSH HAIR SOFTER, MORE PLIABLE AND GLOSSY, EASY TO COMB AND PUT UP IN ANY STYLE THE LENGTH WILL PERMIT. WRITE FOR TESTIMONIES, TELLING HOW THIS REMARKABLE REMEDY MAKES SHORT, KINKY HAIR GROW LONG AND WAVY. BEST POMADE ON THE MARKET FOR DANDRUFF, ITCHING OF THE SCALP AND FALLING OUT OF THE HAIR. BEWARE OF IMITATIONS, GET THE GENUINE, PUT UP IN 25¢ AND 50¢ BOTTLES WITH CHARLES FORD'S NAME ON EVERY PACKAGE.

SOLD BY DRUGGISTS.

IF YOUR DRUGGIST CANNOT SUPPLY YOU, WE WILL SEND IT TO YOU DIRECT AT THE FOLLOWING PRICES, SMALL SIZED BOTTLE, 25¢ LARGE SIZED BOTTLE, 50¢

THE OZONIZED OX MARROW CO.
216 LAKE ST., DEPT. 15 CHICAGO, ILL.
AGENTS WANTED.



ROBERT CAMPBELL
Funeral Director and Undertaker

Board and Livery Stables. Carriages for funerals and receptions. Open all night.
TELEPHONE CONNECTION—ALL WORK GUARANTEED
438 Second Street, Southwest.

S. Oppenheimer and Co.
41-2 & D s. w.
South Washington's Big Department Store
Everything to wear for Ladies, Men and Children Our prices are the lowest in the city—a trial will convince you.

A. HINTON GREGORY
TAILOR AND GENT'S FURNISHINGS
2242 7th Street, Northwest
CLEANING, DYEING, ALTERING REPAIRING
SUITS MADE TO ORDER
Work called for and delivered

QUICKEST BEST CHEAPEST
PRINTING
of every description
Jobs brought before 9 A. M., finished same day. Read our offers
500 Translucent Round Corner Large Business Cards $1.30.
TRIANGLE PRINTING CO
TWO OFFICES:
UPTOWN: 1212 Fla. Ave., N.W. Phone N 2642-Y
DOWNTOWN: 1109 Eye St., N.W. Phone M 4078
W. CALVIN CHASE, JR., MGR.

Notice how the list for the teachers contest is growing, send in your vote for your favorite teacher.

If In Doubt

GO TO

HOUSE and HERRMANN

This is a house for the masses An entire house furnished for those who are beginning to keep house It is the place where you can get everything in household goods

Seventh and Eye Sts N W

SEASON OF 1910

Steamer River Queen

WILL OPEN

Excu. sion Season

WASHINGTON PARK

Sunday July 3 3 Trips 12, 2 & 4 P. M.

CONSUELO PLEASURE CLUB

Round Trip 25Cents

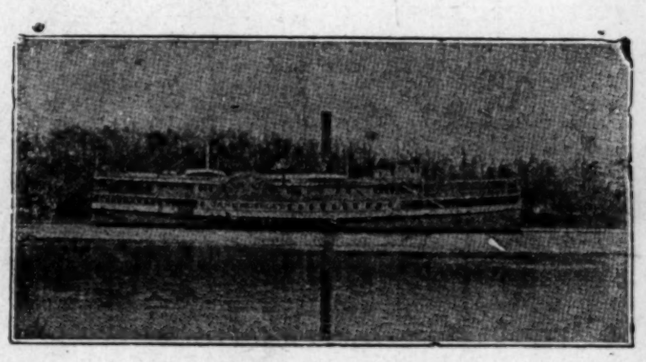
To my friends and the public in general:

It is with pleasure that I take this opportunity to inform you that the books of the Independent Steamboat and Barge Company are now open for charters for Excursions during the coming season, and it will be to your interest to call at once and secure the most desirable dates.

Our terms are most liberal andcharters can be made for Washington Park and Somerset Beach

To which place we have the exclusive excursion rights as well as Mathias Point, Rock Point, Norfolk, White City, Richmond, Baltimore and all points on the Potomac River and Chesapeake Bay

Our facilities for chartering parties are unsurpassed in every respect. Our large covered wharf (used exclusively for our excursion business) enables us to give you most modern and up-to-date service. No crowding, no exposure and our schedule between Washington and Washington Park does away with the long and tiresome waiting for the steamers.



Before the construction of Washington Park absolutely no place of recreation was affordedthe people of our race, and I proudly point to the fact that I have fulfilled the demands of the people in every respect.

You have one of the best and most modernly improved resorts in this part of the country.Washington Park with its myriads of electric lights, mammoth scenic railway, huge carroussel, dance hall and numerous smaller amusement devices is surpassed in point of natural beauty and modern equipment by no resort south of New York.

By perseverance and an enormous cash outlay I have done this, and now I ask you to show me that I have your hearty support by calling at once and making charters for the coming season.

Yours for pleasuure and comfort,
Lewis Jefferson. 1910 First Street, S. W.

J. A. PIERRE

Orders Delivered Promptly
J. A. PIERRE
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in
COAL, WOOD AND ICE
454 New York Avenue, N. W.

OLD MADE NEW

If you want your clothing cleaned, altered or repaired, you should send a card or call at the up-to-date repair establishment. All work guaranteed or money refunded.

Mrs. D. Smith, Proprietor,
614 D Street, Northwest.

HOLTMAN'S

OLD STAND

FINE BOOTS AND SHOES

491 Penn. ave., N. W.

OUR $2.50 AND $3 SHOES ARE THE BEST MADE.

SIGN OF THE BIG BOOT.

WM. MORELAND, PROP.

H. K. FULTON'S LOAN OFFICE

No. 314 Ninth Street, N. W.

Loans made on Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry, Silverware, Etc.

If you want to buy a good watch, diamond ring, or jewelry of any kind, look at our stock Why pay 10 per cent. when you can get it for 3 per cent. first. You!

H. K. FULTON

BURNSTINE LOAN OFFICE

GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES, DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, GUNS, MECHANICAL TOOLS LADIES' AND GENTS' WEARING APPAREL.

OLD GOLD AND SILVER BOUGHT.

UNREDEEMED PLEDGES FOR SALE.

361 Pennsylvania Avenue, N. W.

ROBERT ALLEN

Buffet and Family Liquor Store

Phone North 2340

1917 4th Street, N. W.

Washington, D. C.